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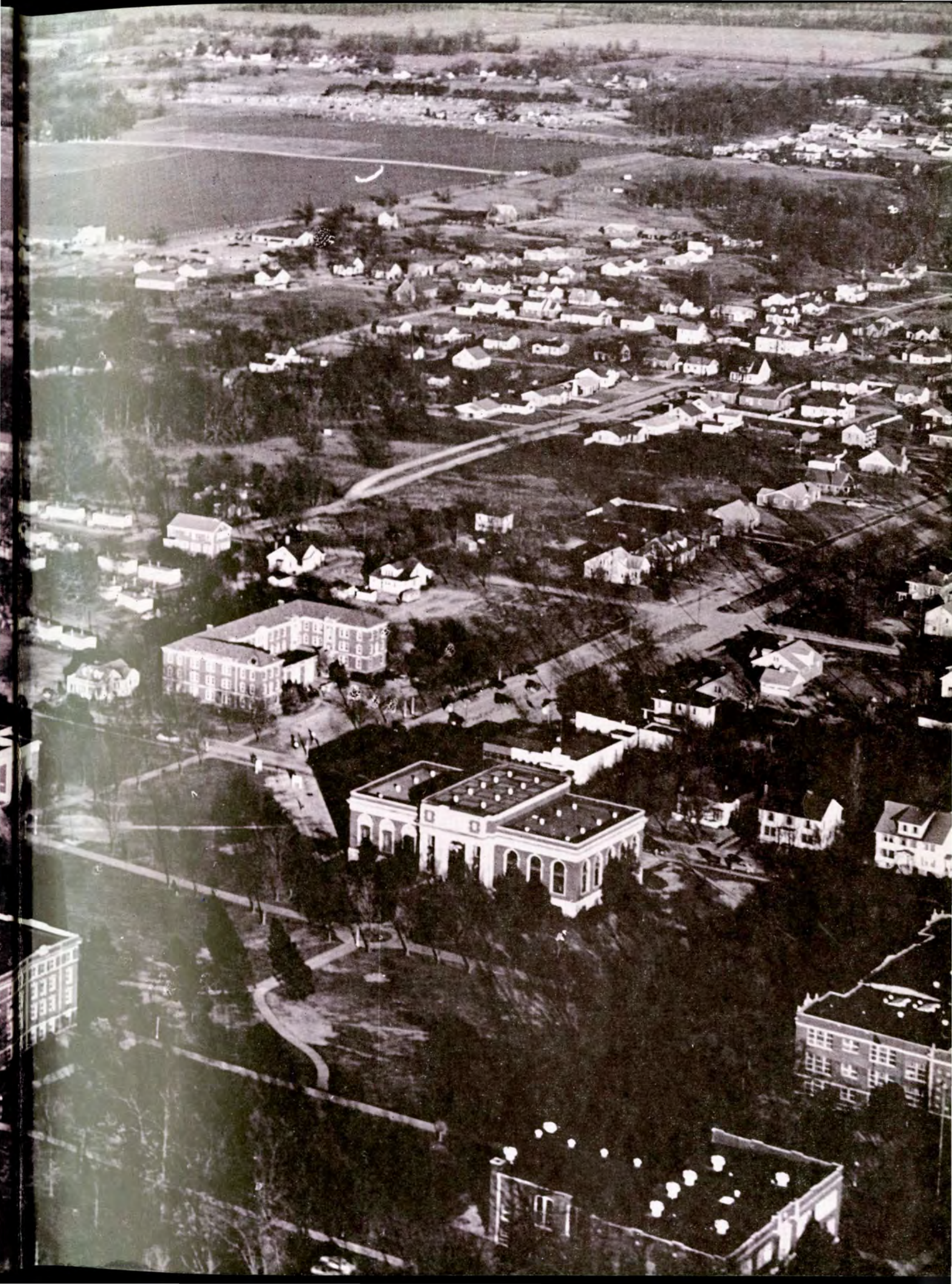
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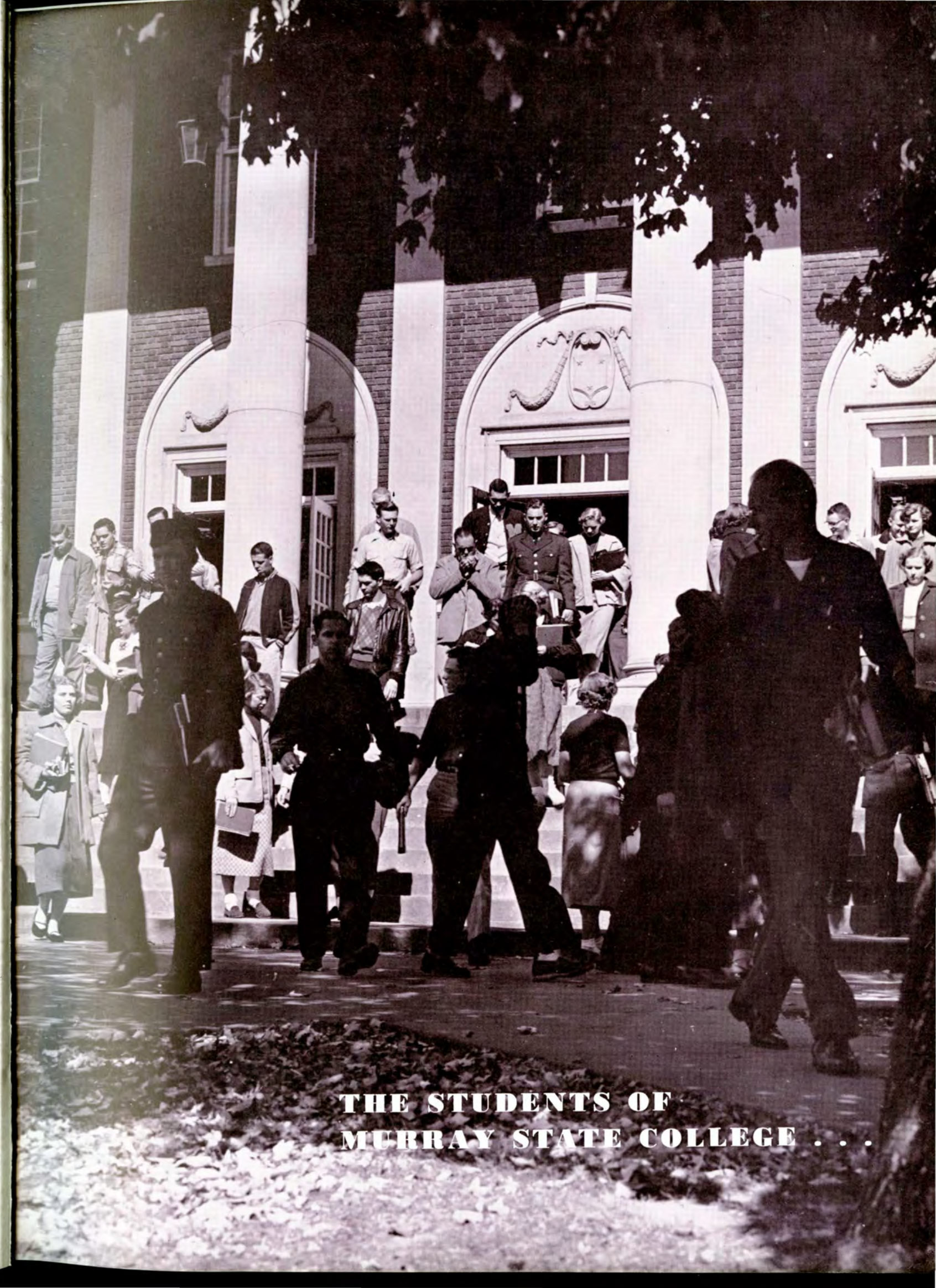


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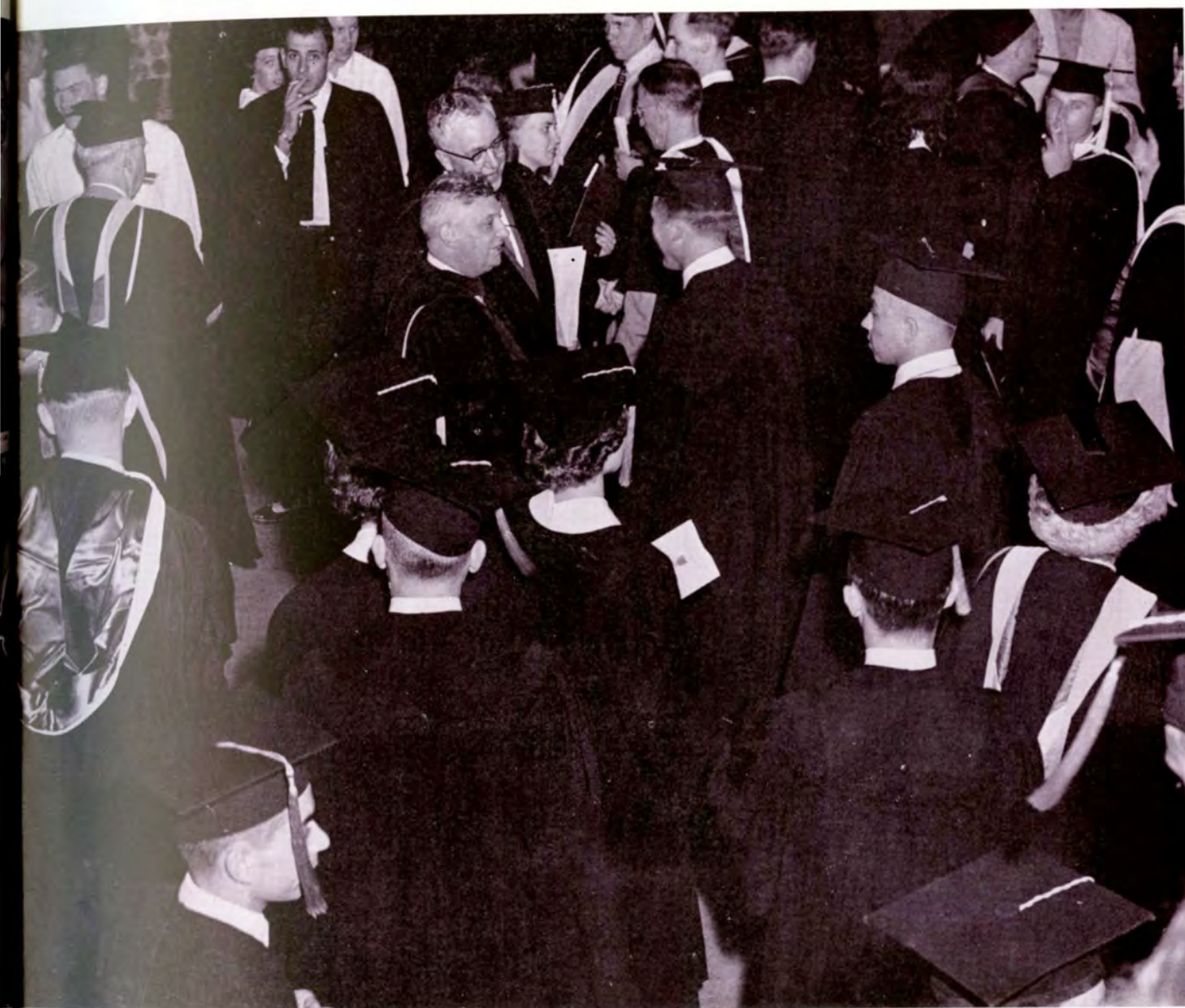


**THE STUDENTS OF
MURRAY STATE COLLEGE . . .**



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MURRAY STATE COLLEGE



The students of Murray State College present the 1953 SHIELD

Yes, this is your 1953 SHIELD. You've paid for it, posed for it, waited for it, perhaps worked for it—here it is.

And what is it, now that you've got it?

What is any yearbook?

What is it besides slick paper and slicker photographs, your club and mine, the season's records, read the ads?

We don't know—but we'll tell you what we tried for.

It all started quite a while ago—before you were born, more than likely—in 1923. In that year, after sundry trials and maneuvering, the people of Murray got the college every town in the Purchase had hoped for: the new institution of higher learning which the Commonwealth of Kentucky had seen fit to establish.

Dr. Carr was president back in '23—already retirement age, but look how college life has kept him young! There have been other presidents—but not many. In fact Dr. Woods is only the fourth man ever to hold the position.

Then there's Dean Nash and Dean Sparkman and—we don't have to tell you. You know them—the administration of Murray State College.

They make up the first section of the 1953 SHIELD.





faculty

How could there be a college without a faculty?

All right, maybe you don't like to be reminded of all those pop tests, outside reading reports, term papers, final exams, "D's," "I's," perhaps even "E's." But that's what you registered for, isn't it?

The *entire* faculty is here—Doc So-and-so whose classes were so stimulating, Miss Whoosis who really knew her subject, and Prof What's-his-name who always kept them laughing. The others? That low-down highbrow who flunked you in 101—or 201? That systematic sadist whose assignments grew in proportion with your outside activities? Yes, they're here too.

The 1953 SHIELD presents the faculty of Murray State College. You may paste on the labels.





classes

Classes—the backbone of a yearbook, after all. Unless you were terribly careless or indifferent, your picture is included in one of the four sections: freshmen, sophomores, juniors, seniors.

Mark those pages well. In years to come, they may be more meaningful than you can imagine, as each familiar face becomes a memory—perhaps of only a chance meeting at the shrine of elementary syntax, perhaps of a still-glowing friendship which needs no picture for remembrance, perhaps of a love which is or was or might have been.

The classes of Murray State College—the 1953 SHIELD portrays them in full.





organizations

There are clubs and clubs, you know.

There are those that meet once a month, twice a month, four times a month. There are those that fine absentees and those that don't. There are those that appeal to a limited number of students and those of more general interest.

There are big clubs and little clubs. There are local clubs and national-organization clubs. There are those that are not really clubs at all, but fraternities, sororities, societies, what have you.

Unless your club was flat broke or dirt-stingy, it has at least a small display in this section of the 1953 SHIELD, along with the other organizations now active at Murray State College.

Are you a "B. M. O. C."?

Are you an extra-curricular major?

How many times will your smiling countenance be seen in this section of your yearbook?

Did you play in the orchestra? Sing in the choir? Were you your class's representative? Star of the big show? Belle of the ball? A journalist? An actor? A debater?

Don't try to squirm out of it; we've got it all recorded for your grandchildren in the 1953 SHIELD: the activities of a year at Murray State College.

activities



features

The toss of soft curls—the flash of a smile with a personality behind it—a figure which meets the eye more than halfway—a pet gesture, a manner of speaking, a sudden laugh—what is glamour?

This is the exotic section of your year-book—the one which breathes that uncapturable perfume—youth.

Here is beauty for the days when life darkens and the dream begins to fade. Here is charm—fleeting, yet ever at your fingertips.

We regret that time and space do not permit the 1953 SHIELD to give you more than a sampling of the enchantment which walks abroad on the campus of Murray State College.





athletics



De-emphasis? Not here!

Maybe we're still small-time, but we like it that way. Where could you go to see more thrilling games than those played on Murray's gridiron and hardwood? Who so well deserve the faithful support of their partisans as do the Thoroughbreds? What rivalries are more colorful or high-spirited than ours?

They weren't all victories this year—but they won't be any other year. That's part of the game.

And now it's all black-and-white for *this* year in the 1953 SHIELD: athletics at Murray State College.

Does the picture begin to take shape?

Keep turning pages, and we believe you'll see our whole idea.

Maybe we'd better end the beginning as we began it.

The students of Murray State College present the 1953 SHIELD.

DEDICATION

SHIELD Staff Dedicates '53 Edition To DR. W. E. BLACKBURN

With respect, admiration, and appreciation, we proudly dedicate the 1953 SHIELD to Dr. Walter E. Blackburn, a man whose amiable, congenial ways make him an outstanding personality on the campus of Murray State College.

This outstanding scholar came to Murray State in 1930 and is now head of the Department of Physical Science. He is a native of West Kentucky who was graduated from Paducah Tilghman high school. He received his A. B. degree from Georgetown College, where he had lettered in football. The popular MSC instructor received his M. S. from the University of Florida and his Ph. D. from the University of Illinois.

While at Murray, he has directed the expansion of the Physical Science Department. In 1948 Doctor Blackburn and his department moved into the new MSC science building.

He has done extensive research work in the field of organic chemistry and has had several scientific articles published.

Doctor Blackburn is a member of KEA and NEA, Kentucky Association of Chemistry Teachers, National Science Teachers Association, Kentucky Academy of Science, American Chemical Society, and other honorary and professional organizations. He is listed in the third edition of "Who's Who in the South and Southwest" and "American Men of Science."

On the campus he is sponsor of the Murray State College Chapter of the Student Affiliates of the American Chemical Society, a national chemical organization.

It is with high esteem that we dedicate this volume to an outstanding scientist, a master teacher, and a great man—Dr. Walter Blackburn.









ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY





The Board of Regents are (left to right) O. B. Springer of Henderson, Maxon Price of Barlow, Dr. Ralph Woods, President of Murray State College, Claude Winslow of Mayfield, and Hollis C. Franklin of Marion. Wendell P. Butler (inset), State Superintendent of Public Instruction, is ex-officio Chairman of the Board of Regents.

BOARD OF REGENTS

Study and Foresight, With Smoke and Progress

The Board of Regents of Murray State College consists of five men whose experience and wisdom enable them to deal effectively with the multiplicity of problems confronting a college board of regents.

Mr. Wendell Butler is a professional educator and Superintendent of Public Instruction; the other four men, Claude Winslow, Maxon Price, Hollis Franklin and O. B. Springer, are representative and outstanding citizens of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Uppermost in their minds is serving the people of Kentucky through the facilities of Murray State College.

The all-important budget is the concern of this body. The long range planning from which comes the progress and the expansion of Murray State College is the product of its conference table.

To these men come the problems—not the day to day problems—but the questions of policy of years-ahead planning, problems of such magnitude that a mistake in judgment could seriously injure the future of Murray State as an institution of learning. The record of the MSC Board of Regents is noticeable free of such miscalculations.

In the future, as in the past, from the smoke surrounding the conference table of the Board of Regents will come the decisions that will point the way to a bigger and better Murray State College.

P R E S I D E N T R . H . W O O D S

"Education . . . A Friend, An Introduction, A Virtue"

What should a college president be? An administrator? A scholar? A leader? A person of great dignity and yet displaying great friendliness? All of the traits that go to make up the ideal college president are found in Dr. Ralph H. Woods, president of Murray State College.

His years at Murray State have been years of progress and achievement. Under his direction the physical plant of the college has been expanded, the faculty and staff enlarged, and the curriculum strengthened and improved.

A man who realizes that the college has the dual purpose of serving the student well while maintaining its expected place in the community, Dr. Woods has integrated the two functions in to an effective program for the elevation of the institution.

Nothing could more effectively express the philosophy of Dr. Ralph H. Woods than these words written by him in 1948: "Faculty, staff, students, and friends have, during the past quarter-century, made Murray State a significant institution. Our heritage we shall hold in sacred trust; but in the days ahead, we shall put forth every effort to the end that Murray State College may continue to grow in effectiveness, in friendliness, in beauty, and in keeping with the best educational patterns for schools in our day and generation. May each of you students carry with pride the hallmark of the College and may your days at Murray be sacred treasures as they lengthen and broaden the shadow of your life. By making the most of your opportunities at Murray, you with Varle will say—Education is at home, a friend; abroad, an introduction; in solitude, a solace; and in society, a virtue."

Foresight, wisdom, dignity . . . these things are Dr. Ralph H. Woods.



A D M I N I S T R A T I V E

DR. WILLIAM G. NASH

Dean of College

The man with the cluttered desk and the orderly mind . . . Dean William G. Nash. Your grade sheet may be hidden under the latest copy of *Time* on Dean Nash's desk but the answer to your problem is seldom hard to find.

Grades and chapel announcements, chapel cuts and forms filled out in triplicate for dozens of draft boards, all are the problems of the Dean. And he handles them all efficiently and quietly.

Although the average student sees Dean Nash few times other than in chapel and during registration, he can be assured that the Dean's hand is always on his academic pulse.

A man of admirable academic achievements, Dean Nash graduated from Pleasureville Academy, received his A.B. degree from Georgetown College, attended the University of Chicago and the University of Michigan, and received his M.S. from Washington University.

Returning to Kentucky, Dr. Nash took his Ph.D. at the University of Kentucky. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, Pi Kappa Alpha, Kappa Delta Pi, and Tau Kappa Alpha.

His job: to carry out the primary function of Murray State College . . . to educate you for life.



J. MATT SPARKMAN

Dean of Students

Dean of Students J. Matt Sparkman keeps few written records of the goings on on the campus but in the back of his mind he can always find a situation that is comparable to the problem at hand. Along side it he will find the best solution to the present problem.

Scheduling of student extra-curricular activities, advising the Student Council on the social program, acting as unofficial advisor to every organization on the campus, plus hundreds of individual problems each semester, Dean Sparkman has made his office a Mecca for any student or group with a problem.

Looking for advice . . . see Dean Sparkman. Looking for a place to live . . . see Dean Sparkman. Looking for a friend . . . see Dean Sparkman.

Dean Sparkman received his B.S. degree from Murray State College and his M.A. degree from the University of Kentucky. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, Rotary Club, and Kentucky Education Association.

Here since 1949, Dean Sparkman has proven that he is capable of handling his job of coordination of student activities. And he has passed the final test of any Thoroughbred . . . the friendliness test.



OFFICIALS

BUSINESS MANAGER

When you pay your registration fees, when you buy a meal ticket and pay your room rent, when you purchase tickets to the various athletic events, you are dealing with the division of the administration of which Mr. Preston W. Ordway is head.

In addition to planning the operation of these things which you are familiar, the business manager, working with the president and board of regents, plans the important college budget. He handles building and material contracts, payrolls, and many other financial problems which arise in the operation of a college.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS

To spread the name of Murray State College throughout the area and the nation, to place graduates of the institution in satisfactory jobs and to keep members of the Alumni association informed of happenings at the college . . . all these are jobs for Public Relations Director M. O. Wrather. Mr. Wrather's position is vital to the life of the college.

Under his direction, secretaries, publicity writers, photographers, and the Extension Bureau carry on the numerous duties arising out of the relations of the college with the community in which it exists. In dozens of filing cabinets in the offices of the Public Relations department, thousands of neat records attest to a job well done.

A position with little glory but with tremendous importance to Murray State College and every student, that is the position of M. O. Wrather, Public Relations director.

REGISTRAR

Thousands of square feet of paper covered with millions of words, many of them illegible, would make the average person throw up his hands in a hopeless gesture, but for some 25 years Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester, Murray State College registrar, has been reading these seemingly illegible words and making sense out of them.

Student registration cards, class schedules, grade sheets, and dozens of other types of records sounds like a hopeless source from which to draw a basis for even a calculated guess, but from this mountain of classified data, Mrs. Hester manages to tell any student at any time exactly how far he is from graduation and what his chances are of ever getting there.

The lady with the magic touch that makes an art course look like a commerce course in a senior's second semester schedule, that's Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester.



ADMINISTRATIVE

The Silent People Who Are The Nerves Of Murray State

The unsung heroes of the filing cabinet and the typewriter, of the record book and the photostat machine, the people who can tell you whether you are a freshman or a sophomore when even you don't know, the administrative staff.

The administrative staff is charged with the hundreds of tasks of varying sizes that are necessary to keep the college the smooth working organization that it is. These people keep the records, write the letters, cut the stencils, and file the cards that are so much a part of the operation of an organization the size of Murray State.

Whether you want a meal ticket for the cafeteria or a ticket to a basketball game, a room in one of the dormitories or student employment, to the administrative staff goes the job of handling your request.

The careful preparation of records of your progress (or lack of it) and of your graduation and often your post-graduation activities, is handled by the usually invisible administrative staff. The administrative heads have been called the Brain of the College . . . the administrative staff is its nervous systems.



Dr. John Wesley Carr (above), "The Grand Old Man of Murray," spends much of his time on a history of Murray State College which he will complete soon. He works at his desk in the large reading room of the library.



Miss Lydia Weiing (left), Dietitian, and the late Miss Ruth Ashmore, House Director of Wells Hall and Counsellor of Girls, take time out from their many duties to pose for a SHIELD photographer.

FIRST ROW: Miss Tennie Beckenridge, Secretary to the President; Miss Louise Brown, Secretary to the Dean; Miss Catherine Purdom, Assistant Registrar; Mrs. G. C. Ashcraft, Recorder; Miss Pauline Johnson, Recorder; Miss Wanda Farmer, Secretary of Admissions; Mrs. Fay W. Sledd, Assistant Business Manager; Mr. James A. Rogers, Bookkeeper; Mrs. Ann C. Page, Clerk.

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S T A F F

DR. JOHN W. CARR

Dr. John W. Carr, president emeritus of the college, is a man who has witnessed and had a vital part in the entire history of Murray State College.

Dr. Carr became the first president of Murray State in 1923 when the college was an infant institution struggling for existence. He headed the school until 1926.

Returning to the president's office in the lean years from 1933 to 1936, Dr. Carr kept the college operating on a sound basis while many similar institutions were using red ink in their ledgers.

Dr. Carr, who was born in 1859, has been listed in "Who's Who in America" since 1935. The president emeritus has also appeared in the regional "Who's Who."

His more active participation in the affairs of the college ended, Dr. Carr set for himself the task of recording the history of Murray State. His history, soon to be completed, will record events at and concerning the college from its founding in 1923 through 1952.

Erl Sensing (above right) prepares a news release, which is one of his many and varied jobs as Director of Publicity.

Eltis Henson (lower right) is Director of Field Services. He visits high schools throughout this area publicizing the college to prospective students.





FIRST ROW: Dr. Walter E. Blackburn, Department of Physical Sciences; Miss Ann L. Brown, Department of Nursing Education; Mr. A. Carman, Department of Agriculture; Dr. M. G. Carman, Department of Mathematics; Dr. Price Doyle, Department of Fine Arts.

SECOND ROW: Dr. Herbert Halpert, Department of Languages and Literature; Mr. Thomas B. Hoggan, Department of Commerce; Mr. George Lilly, Department of Industrial Arts; Dr. C. S. Lowry, De-

partment of Social Science; Mr. Bob Mowery, Department of Library Science.

THIRD ROW: Miss Ruby Simpson, Department of Home Economics; Mr. Harry M. Sparks, Department of Education; Mr. Roy Stewart, Department of Health and Physical Education; Dr. Alfred M. Wolfson, Department of Biological Science; Lt. Colonel Frances Wellenreiter, Department of Military Science.

DEPARTMENT

HEADS

Scholars and Scientists with Problems And Achievement

Each of the fifteen departments of Murray State College is headed by an educator who is recognized as an expert in his field. In addition, they are all experts in the problems of the students whom they advise. This combination of talents is unbeatable.

Many of these department heads—Doctors Doyle, Halpert, and Blackburn and others—have received national recognition for their accomplishments. But all have engraved their names in the most important record of all, the minds of their students.

These educators are busy year by year experimenting and planning, removing a course here and adding one there to make the curriculum more varied and flexible, always trying to improve the services offered by the department.

Not content with administrative and teaching activities, many of these educators enter into other branches of their chosen fields—some are high officers in national organizations, others pursue new discoveries in the fields of science, still others make investigations into the realm of ideas.

All the department heads are here . . . some after more than twenty years in their position of leadership, some still in the first year of their new status.

Dr. Blackburn, head of the department of Physical Sciences and nationally recognized scientist; Miss Brown, head of the new department of Nursing Education embracing the facilities here plus two great hospitals; Mr. A. Carman, head of the important department of Agriculture with its widespread facilities; Dr. M. G. Carman, head of MSC's Mathematics Department; Fine Arts' Dr. Doyle, for years recognized as one of America's top music educators; Dr. Halpert, Languages and Literature Department head and nationally known folklorist; Mr. Hogancamp, head of the rapidly expanding department of Commerce; Social Science's inimitable Dr. Lowry, expert economist and political scientist; Mr. Mowry, head of MSC's growing Library Science Department; Mr. Lilly, acting head of the department of Industrial Arts, in the absence of H. L. Oakley; Miss Simpson, guiding dozens of girls through the Home Economics courses that may well prove to be the most important part of their education; Mr. Sparks, head of Murray State's all-important department of Education; Mr. Stewart, head of the Health and Physical Education Department with all its ramifications; and Lt. Colonel Wellenreiter, head of the newly organized department of Military Science.

These educators have proven time and again no matter how deeply they may become engrossed in the problems of administration, their first interest is in the student.



F A C U L T Y

The faculty of the Biological Science Department is composed of Miss Grace Wyatt, Mr. Wesley Kemper, Dr. A. M. Wolfson, and Dr. Liza Spann.



The Faculty Is A Vital Part Of The Unity That Is MSC

Have you ever wondered who that tall, distinguished-looking gentleman is? You probably have said, "A teacher of something or other, I guess," and then went on your way, letting the question in your mind bother you but little, and when you met that athletic-looking figure in the hall as he made a mad dash to that eleven o'clock class, did you stop to wonder if that was someone that you had seen before, or did you just go on again—struggling to remember only those names of the section of the faculty you look at in class each week? If you are like the rest of us, you are, now after a whole year of seeing and just not caring, at last beginning to wonder which names belong to those faces that are gradually becoming familiar to you, so let's take the time now to become acquainted with our faculty, a group that holds a very forceful position in our existence here at Murray State. It is a vital part of the unity that is MSC and, in order to achieve our goal—even greater unity—one part of the functioning whole, the student body, must be aware of the other, the faculty, not as a separate facet that affects us only at exam time, but as an important segment necessary for the health of the whole.

Let's look in on the English Department first, for, after all, each of us must take four courses there. The instructors in this, one of MSC's largest departments, are Miss Beatrice Frye, Dr. Herbert Halpert, head of the department, Miss Lillian Hollowell, Mr. F. D. Mellen, who will retire at the close of this year, and Miss Onnie Gray Skinner. Mr. J. Albert Tracy, speech, Miss Annie Smith, Spanish and French, Dr. Georgianna Babb, German, and Mr. E. G. Schmidt, journalism, are also of the Languages and Literature Department.

Our second stop is the Social Science Department and the staff of this division of the college includes Dr. William D. Aeschbacher, Dr. C. S. Lowry, head of the department, Dr. Rex Syndergaard, and Mr. Auburn Wells.

Interested in commercial work? Let's see who occupies Wilson Hall, third floor. The Commerce De-



The instructors of the Commerce Department are (seated) Miss Verda Head, Mr. Thomas B. Hogancamp, Mrs. Eugene Smith, (standing) Mr. Vernon Anderson, Mr. Eugene Smith and Mr. Fred Gingles.



The Physical Science Department faculty which is pictured above are Mr. Ardath Cannon, Miss Roberta Whitnah, Dr. W. E. Blackburn, Mr. William G. Read and Mr. Roy Starks. Mr. R. A. Johnston, another instructor, is not pictured.

partment faculty, which is headed by Mr. Thomas B. Hogancamp, is composed of Mr. Vernon Anderson, Mr. Fred Gingles, Miss Verda Head, Mrs. Eugene Smith, and Mr. Eugene Smith.

Another important division located in Wilson Hall is the Education Department. Staff members in this department are Miss Nellie Mae Wyman, who will retire this year, Mr. Harry M. Sparks, head of the department, Mr. Thomas Venable, Miss Rubie E. Smith, and Dr. Rhey Boyd Parsons.

Dr. C. S. Lowry, head of the Social Science Department is shown with other members of the faculty. They are Dr. William Aeschbacher, Mr. Auburn Wells and Dr. Rex Syndergaard.



The music faculty includes (seated) Mr. Richard Farrell, Mr. Leslie Putnam, Dr. Price Doyle, Mr. John Winter, Mr. Robert Baar, (standing) Mr. Neale Mason, Mr. David Gowans, Mr. Josiah Darnall, and Mr. Russell Terhune. Mr. Roman Prydatkevitch is not pictured.





The faculty of the Department of Languages and Literature is pictured above. They are Dr. Herbert Halpert, Miss Annie Smith, Miss Beatrice Frey, Miss Lillian Hollowell, Miss Onnie Gray Skinner, Dr. Georgianna Babb, Dr. Edwin Larson and Mr. F. D. Mellen. Members of the staff not pictured are Mr. J. Albert Tracy and Mr. E. G. Schmidt.



Mr. Roy Stewart, head of the Department of Health and Physical Education, is shown with his staff. They are Mr. Rex Alexander, Mrs. Carrie White, Mr. Harlan Hodges, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Fred Fautot, Mrs. Fred Fautot, and Mr. Carlisle Cutchin.

MR. MELLEN AND MISS WYMAN RETIRE AT THE END OF THE YEAR

Did you ever wonder who keeps the book circulation straight and who never forgets to remind you when you have a book overdue. The librarians who keep one of the most important, vital parts of our college functioning smoothly are Mr. Bob Mowery, the head librarian, Mrs. Ann Herron Cohron, Miss Mary Ekris, Miss Jean Weeks, and Miss Rezina E. Senter.

The Department of Mathematics is found in Wilson Hall. It's head is Dr. M. G. Carman and Miss Evelyn Linn and Mr. Melvin Deweese are the other members of the staff.

The Fine Arts Building houses the fine arts divisions, music art, and dramatics. The music faculty is composed of Mr. Robert Baar, Mr. Josiah Darnall, Dr. Price Doyle, who is head of the Fine Arts Department, Mr. Richard Farrell, Mr. David J. Gowans, Mr. Neale B. Mason, Mr. Roman Prydatkevitch, Mr. Leslie Putnam, Mr. Russell Terhune, and Mr. John Winter. Miss Clara Eagle is head of the art division and Mr. Donald Finegan, Miss Oleen Williams, and Mr. Edward Hewitt are the other staff members. Mr. W. J. Robertson is head of the drama division.

Most of us know the Carr Health Building when we see it, but how well do we know those loyal instructors who reside there. We have in the Physical

Right: The Industrial Arts faculty (above right) is composed of Mr. Marion Brown, Mr. George Lilly, and Mr. Williard McCarthy. The Mathematics Department, headed by Dr. M. G. Carman, is shown at the right (middle). They are Mr. Melvin Deweese, Miss Evelyn Linn and Dr. Carman.

Mr. A. Carman, head of the Department of Agriculture, is shown with Mr. E. B. Howton and Mr. Arlie Scott.

The faculty of the Department of Home Economics (below) is composed of Miss Inez Haile, Miss Helen Parrott, Miss Mary Crenshaw, Miss Frances Brown and Miss Ruby Simpson.





The faculty of the MSC art and dramatics divisions (top) are Mr. Donald Finegan, Mr. W. J. Robertson, head of the dramatics department, Mr. Edward Hewitt, Miss Clara Eagle, head of the art department, and Miss Oleen Williams.

The staff members of the Department of Education (above) are Mr. Harry Sparks, Mr. Thomas Venable, Miss Ruby Smith, Miss Nellie Mae Wyman, and Dr. Rhey Parsons.

Mr. Bob Mowery is head of the Library Science Department (right). The staff includes Miss Jean Weeks, Miss Mary Erkis, Mr. Mowery, Miss Rezinna Senter, and Miss Ann Cohoran.

ROTC COMPLETES 1ST YEAR AT MSC

Education Department Mr. Carlisle Cutchin, Mr. Fred Faurot, Mr. Roy Stewart, department head, Mrs. Carrie Allison White, Mrs. Fred Faurot, Mr. Rex Alexander, and Mr. Harlan Hodges.

Dr. W. E. Blackburn is head of the Physical Science Department. Other staff members are Mr. Ardath Canon, Mr. R. A. Johnston, Mr. William G. Reed, Miss Roberta Whitnah, and Mr. Roy Starks.

The Home Economics faculty, which is headed by Miss Ruby Simpson, includes Miss Frances Brown, Miss Mary Addina Crenshaw, and Miss Helen Parrott.

The Agriculture faculty is composed of Mr. A. Carman, head of the department, Mr. E. B. Howton, and Mr. Arlie Scott.

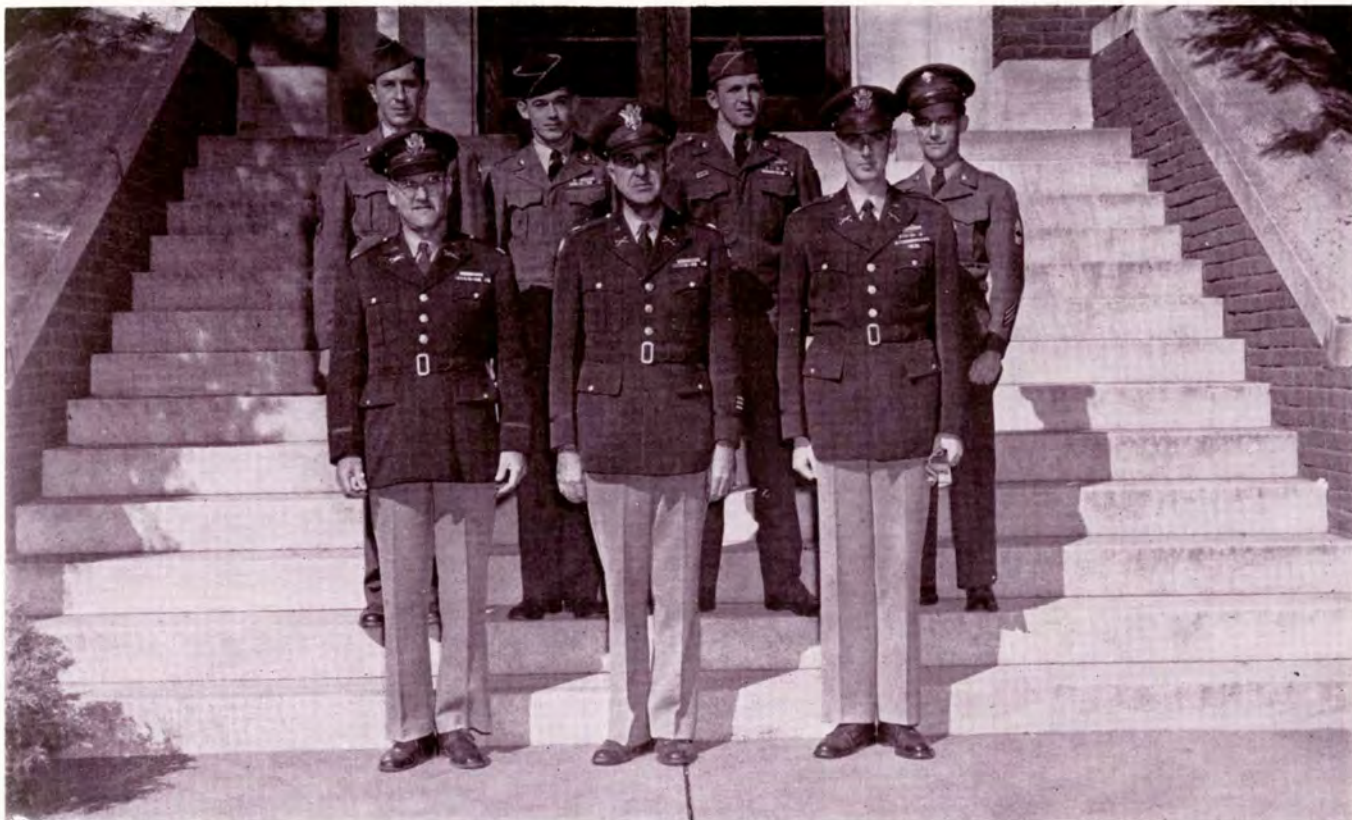
Dr. Alfred M. Wolfson is head of the Biological Science Department and his staff includes Miss Grace Wyatt, Mr. Wesley Kemper, and Dr. Liza Spann.

The Industrial Arts faculty is composed of Mr. George Lilly, acting head of the department, Mr. Marion Brown, and Mr. Williard McCarthy.

The faculty of one of MSC's newest departments, Military Science, includes Lt. Col. Francis Wellenreiter, department head, Major Albert Landis, Captain Samuel Barber, Jr., Sgt. First Class Allen Konan, Sgt. First Class Joseph Barron, Sgt. First Class Manuel M. Brito, and Sgt. Ervin Bowen.

The Murray Training School is provided for county grade and high school students, and provides training and actual practice, for college students. The Training School staff includes: Mr. Esco Gunter, director, Miss Ola Brock, Miss Margaret Campbell, Mr. Charles Eldridge, Miss Attie Faughn, Mr.





The Department of Military Science (above), one of Murray's newest departments, is headed by Lt. Colonel Francis Wellenreiter. The staff is composed of Major Albert Landis, Colonel Wellenreiter, Captain Samuel Barber (back row) Sgt. First Class Joseph Barron, Sgt. First Class Allen Konan, Sgt. First Class Manuel M. Brito, and Master Sgt. Arnold Frashure.



The faculty of the elementary division of the Training School is pictured above. They are (left to right) Dr. Annie Ray, Mrs. Georgia Wear, Miss Mattie S. Trousdale, Miss Lottie Suiter, Mr. Josiah Darnall, Miss Grace Noel, Mrs. Mavis McCamish, and Miss Ola B. Brock.

The high school faculty of the Training School is shown at the right. They are (left to right) Mr. Esco Gunter, Miss Mayme Whitnell, Miss Inez Haile, Mr. Roland E. Goodgion, Mr. Eugene Smith, Mr. Charles Eldridge, Miss Oleen Williams, and Mrs. Lillian Lowry.

Roland Goodgion, Miss Inez Haile, Mrs. Lillian Lowry, Mrs. Mavis McCamish, Dr. Annie Ray, Miss Mattie Trousdale, Mrs. Georgia Wear, Miss Mayme Whitnell, Mr. Melvin Deweese, Mrs. Fred Faurot, and Miss Grace Noel.







C L A S S E S



FRESHMAN CLASS

OFFICERS

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MIMI REID*Secretary*
LA NEIL POWELL*Treasurer*

The first step has been taken—the introduction to our book of college memories has been written. We, the Freshman Class, will never forget this, our first, year at Murray State, filled with the terrors of upper-classmen, and the inevitable Kangaroo Kourt, the rain and the sunshine—our first football game at MSC and our very first homecoming.

We entered Murray State little more than a mass of indecision, being certain of only one thing—we *did* want to become a part of the busy life around us, so we began by attending everything the upperclassmen held for our benefit, even those non-compulsory, and getting our representatives established on the Student Organization. Many of the freshmen found places in the band, orchestra and in various clubs, some even becoming officers. We rapidly became organized and a working group, with Joe Wilson, Marilyn Neal, Mimi Reid, and La Neil Powell to lead us. We have ceased to be individuals from a home town somewhere in the “forty-eight” and have become an integral part of this group and this, our Alma Mater.

Yes, we have become reconciled to the taunts of upper classmen and the tireless efforts of the teachers to confuse us, for don’t they know that, like a diamond in the rough, the more they knock on us the brighter we shine, and we know that there *will* come another year when we will no longer be the “unworthy.” Then, *we* can look upon the newcomers with taunts and sneers, secretly, fondly remembering this year at MSC as the greatest of our lives.





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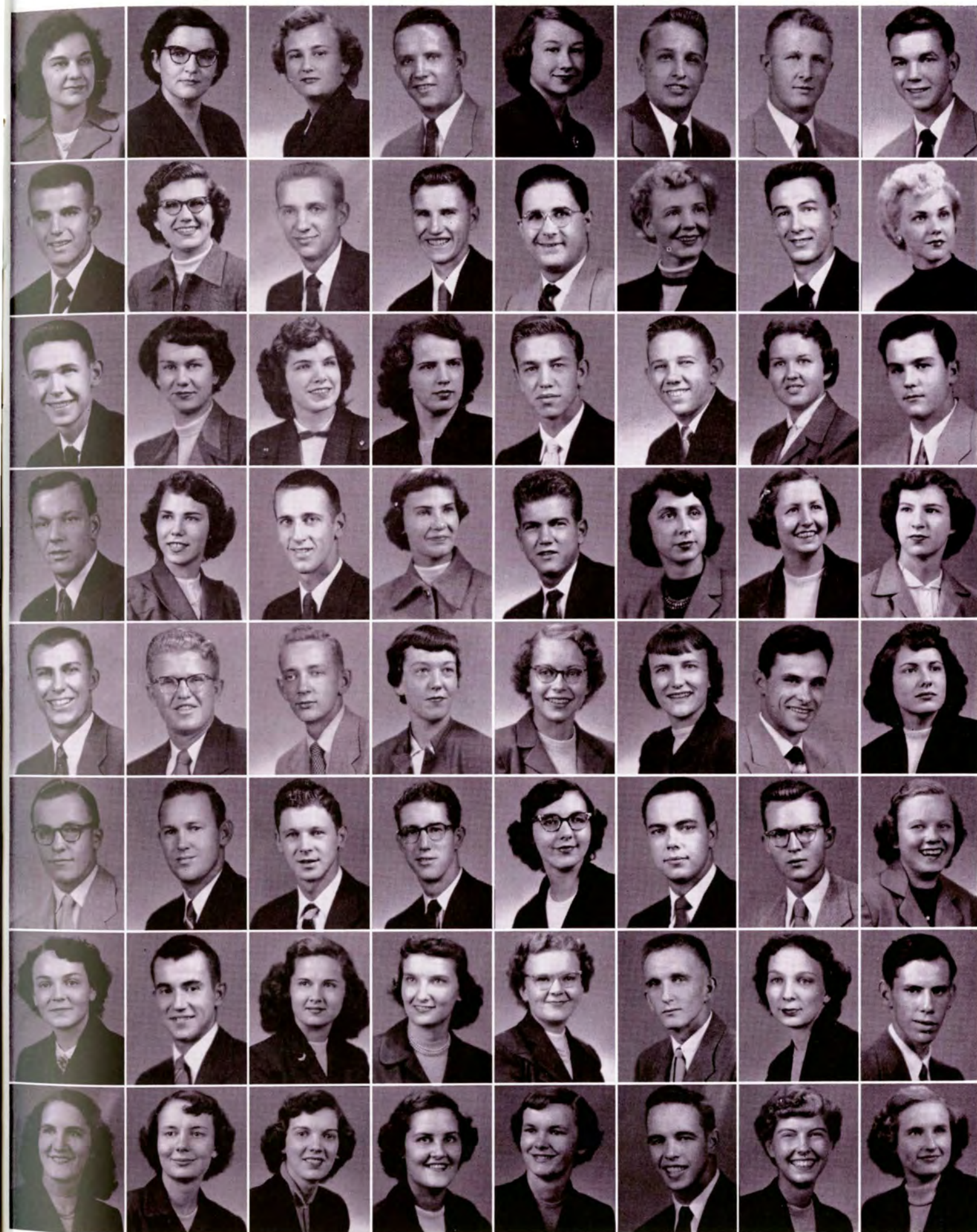
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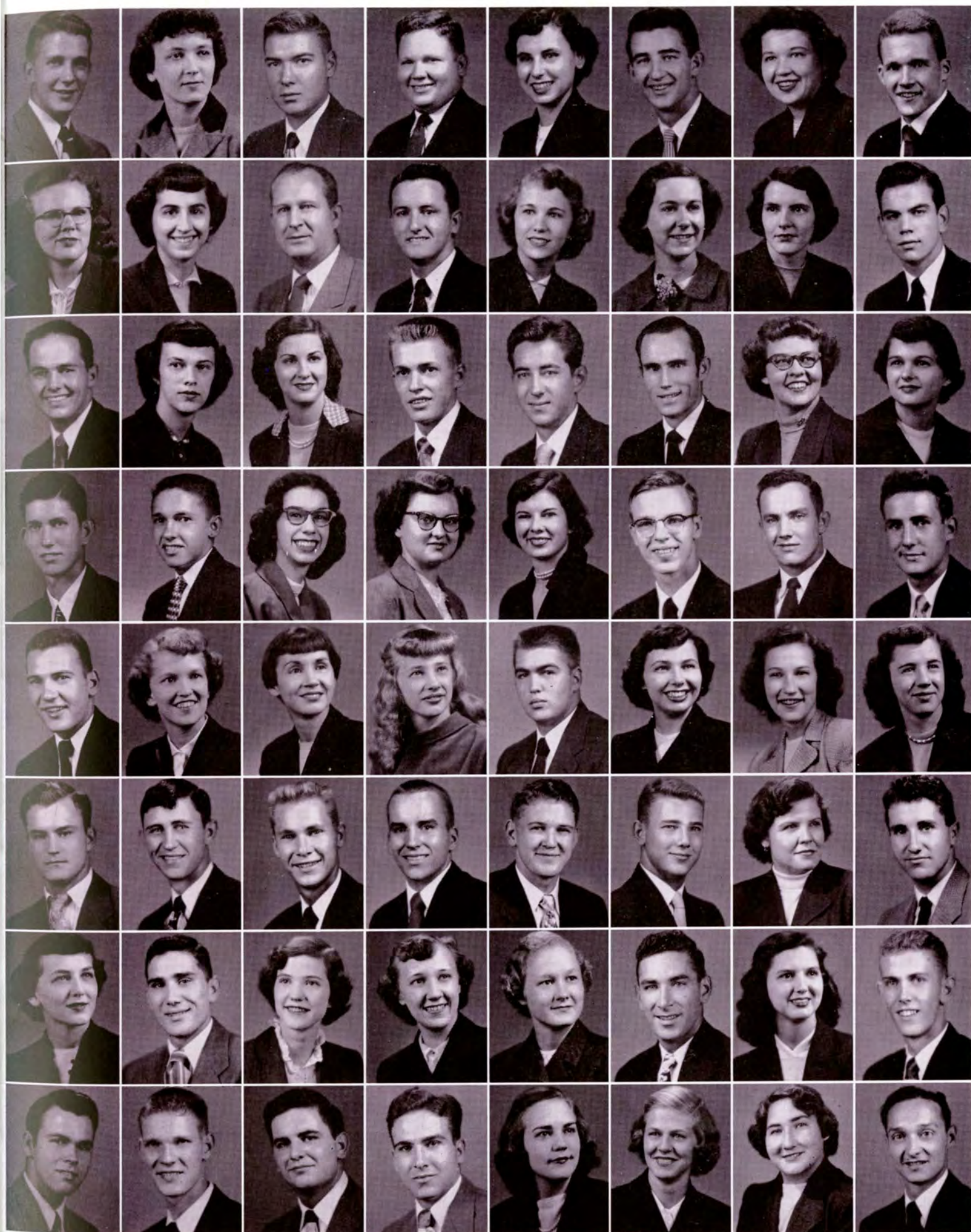
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SOPHOMORE CLASS

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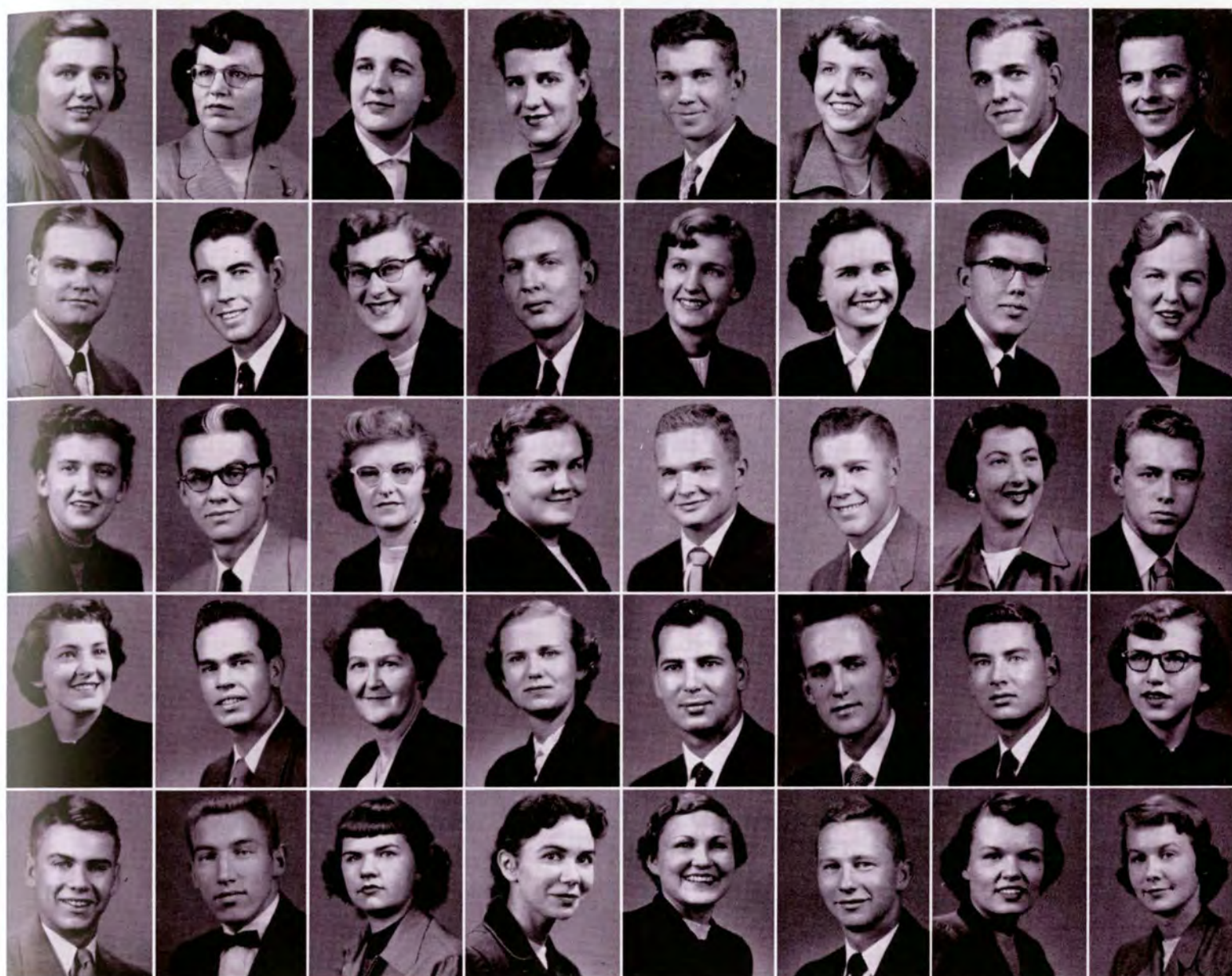
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In the fall, the Sophomore returns to College with newly acquired confidence. He is no longer afraid of courses, teachers, or chapel cuts. College is "old stuff." Many of the familiar faces of his Freshman class are missing, but new ones have taken their place. The Sophomore now gloats with courage and power at the Kangaroo Kourt, while as a Freshman he cringed in fear and humility. Yes, this Sophomore class has the qualifications for being an evolutionary one. Resolutions are made to study hard, make the honor roll, and be an ideal student. However, these resolutions are quickly forgotten during the football season, and only a hectic period of cramming equips him for the final exams.

The Sophomores elected the following students as their officers: Donald Hughes, president; Bill Maynard, vice-president; Louis Bradley, secretary; Bob Phillips, treasurer; Jay Hodges and Jim Hamilton, representatives.

Striving ever to set new records, this class moves onward, upward, toward better goals and a bright future.





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Lewisburg, Kentucky. • SAM BROWN, Paris, Tennessee. • JIMMIE BRYAN, Olmstead, Kentucky. • JESSIE BUTLER, Fulton, Kentucky. • EYRL BYASSEE, Maury City, Tennessee.

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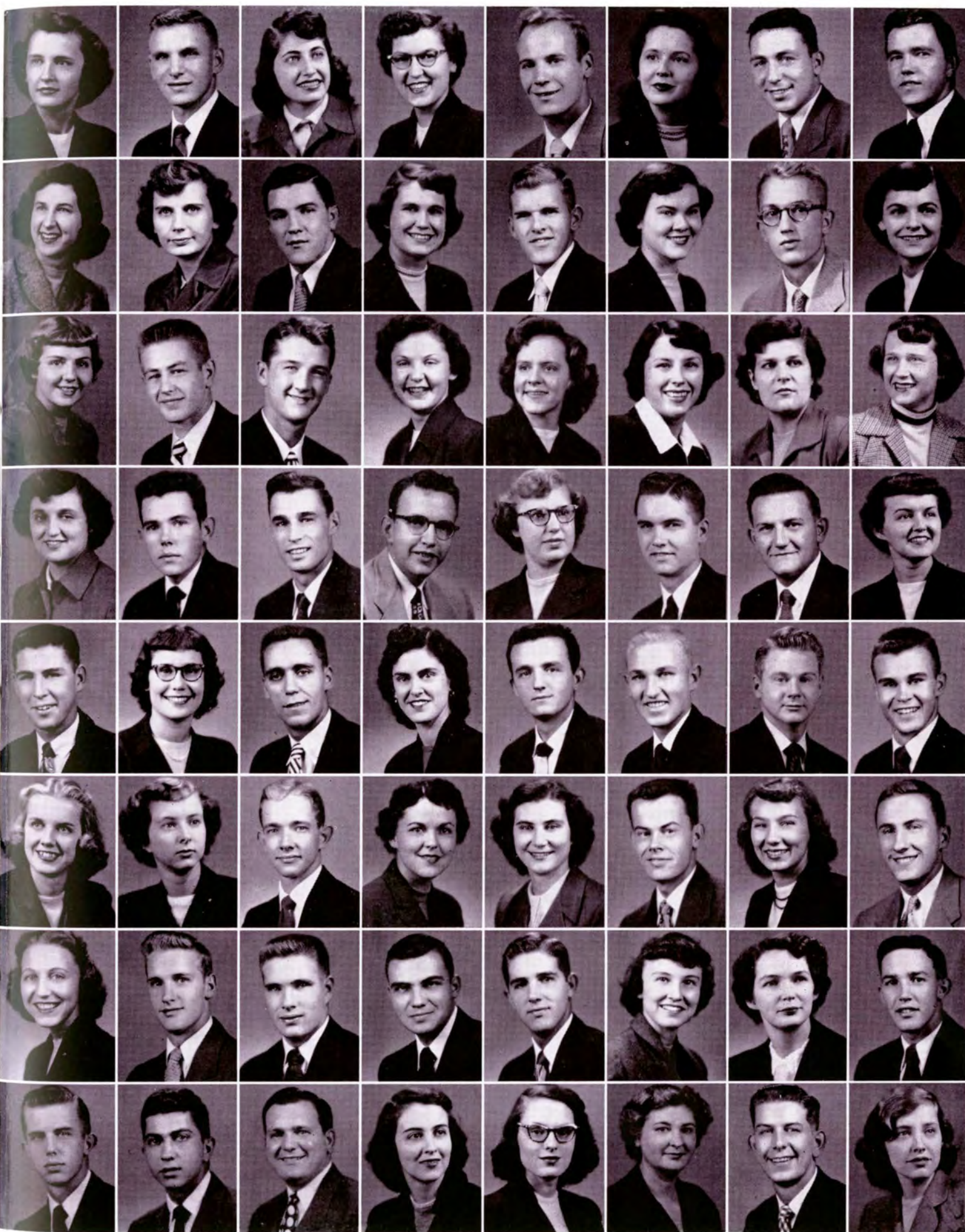
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S O P H O M O R E C L A S S



WELLS HALL

Wells Hall, the heart of the campus, has a night life all its own. After the curfew there are a few unusual souls who have a rendezvous with Shakespeare, or History of the Theatre, or Introduction to Economics, or Medieval History, but most of the dormitory's residents would consider an evening spent curled up with Thomas Wolfe a total loss.

So after removing lipstick and other devices designed to accentuate feminine appeal, Wells Hall girls embark on the rounds of pinochle and gossip, hearts and gossip, with trips to the building's candy and coke machines and gossip.

And the birthday parties, going away parties, holiday parties, and just parties for the sake of having parties contribute to the night life of Wells Hall.

On this page you see Wells Hall's coeds taken by surprise in their native habitat. These photos were taken in surroundings where the foot of man has seldom trod.



JUNIOR CLASS

OFFICERS

EDDIE MOORE	<i>President</i>
TOM SUBLETTE	<i>Vice-President</i>
MARY WOLFE	<i>Secretary</i>
MARTHA SAWYER	<i>Treasurer</i>

We are in the midst of our happiest college days. Three years of work and study has almost been conquered and our goal, that "coveted diploma," is in sight. After three years we begin to see how foolish some of our "green freshmen" and "silly sophomore" stunts really are and only now are we catching a glimpse of the true goal we are trying to attain. We know that only a few more days and we will be taking the place of those dignified people they call "Seniors." When we can place that word Senior on the end of our name, to us that will be the thrill that comes once in a lifetime.

The climax of our college life will come at the end of another short year; the many friends we have made at Murray will not have been in vain. In years to come we may forget their first name but we can be proud to say, "that person went to Murray State College."

Being under classmen has been fun but we are proud we can advance one step higher on the ladder of success.

Our class officers, Mary Wolfe, Martha Sawyer, Eddie Moore and Thomas Sublette have done an outstanding job and we are proud of their accomplishments. We are looking forward to greater things in the year to come.





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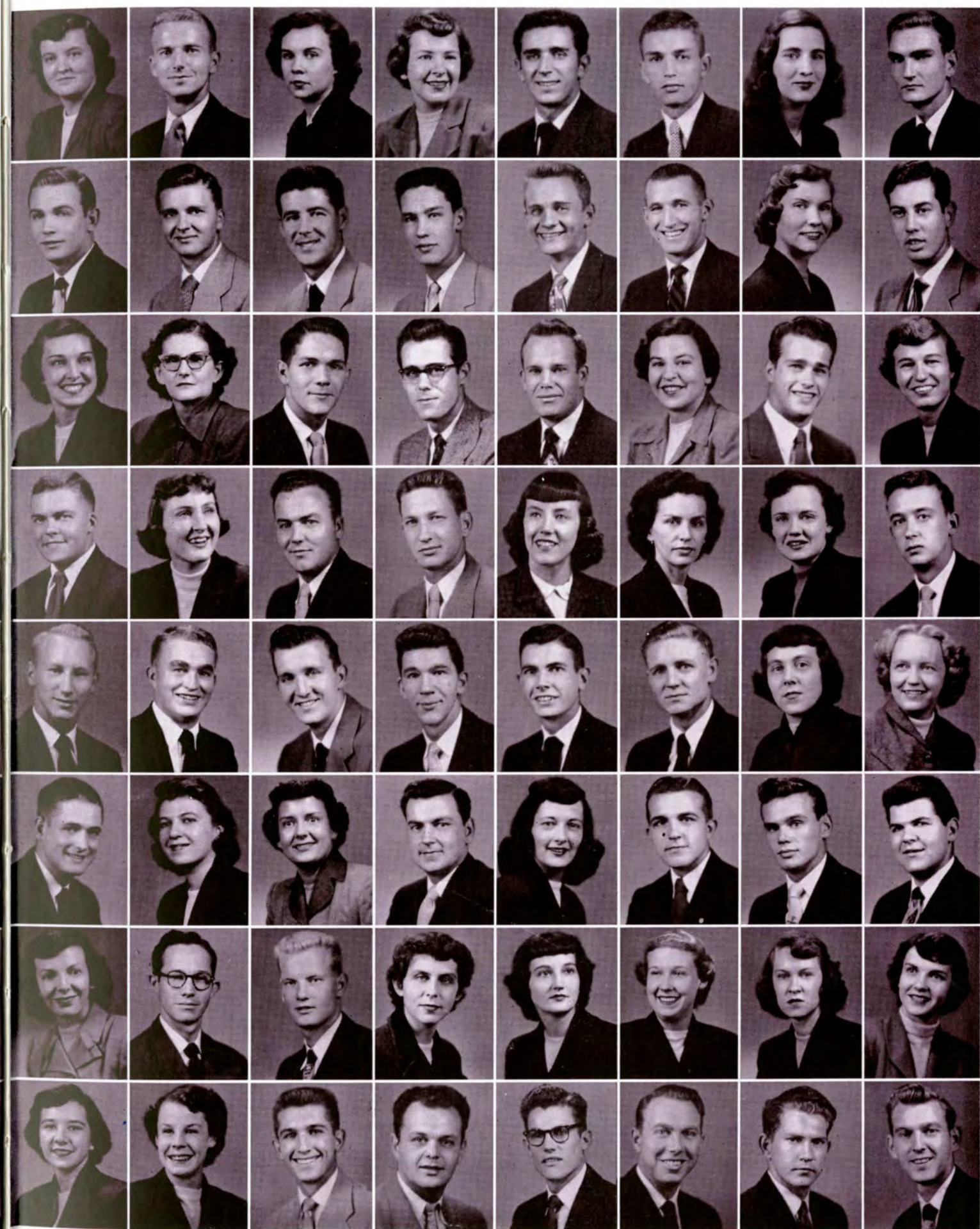
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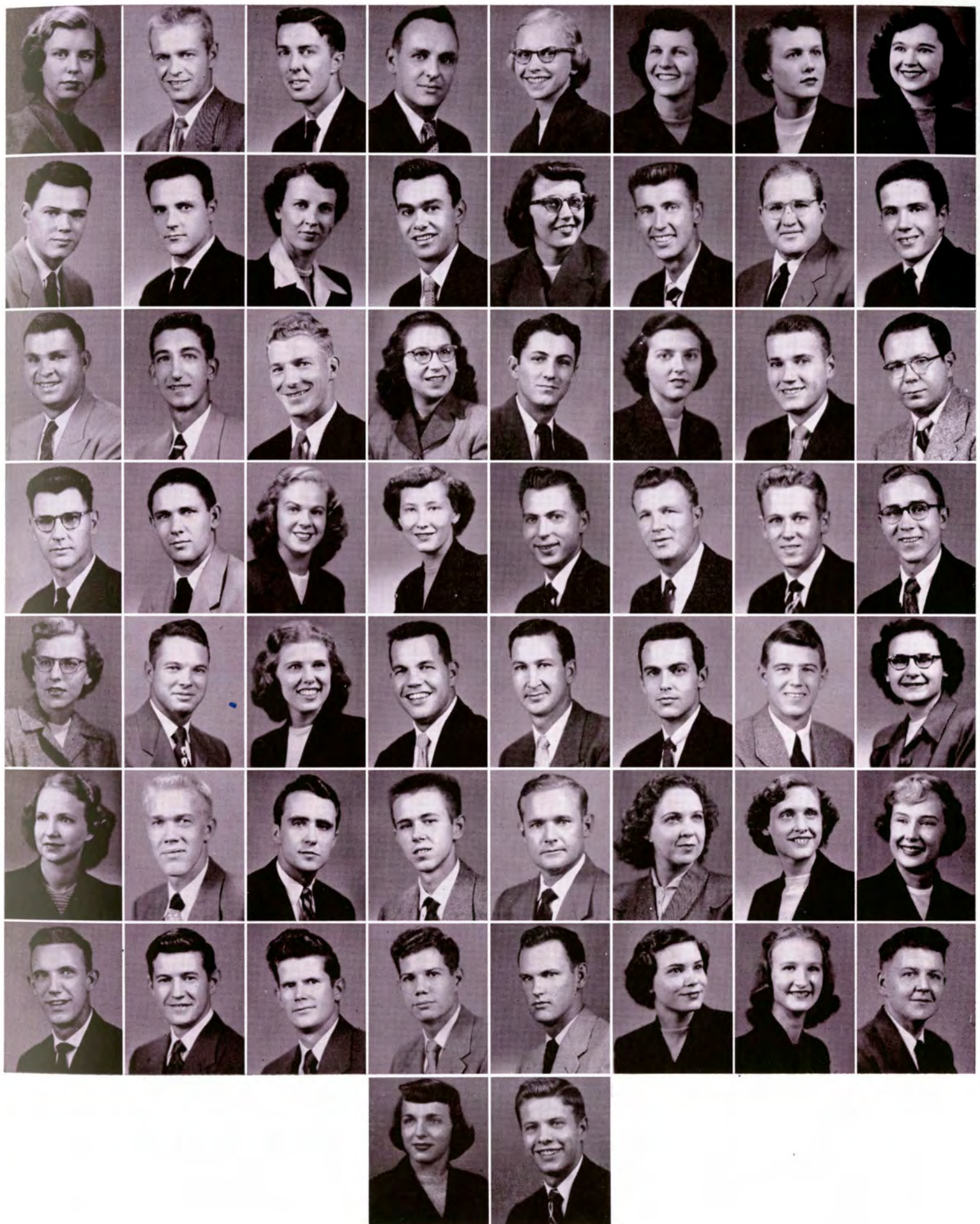
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The climax of college life . . . at last the end of the long road which four years ago we thought of as completely out of reach is ours . . . graduation. Those four years have been good years, filled with football and basketball cries, the annual celebrations, with our own special Homecoming traditions, the noise of the steady downpour of rain, and, of course, classes, with that cheerful "griping" which, after all, made us feel better about the entire situation. Each year has brought a new aspect of that road, a new joy for us. At first, we thought that there could *be* no joys in that first year, but as we became accustomed to the regularity of those class bells, and the just as regular taunts of upper classmen, we, too, began to be a part of that life around us. In the next two years, we *were* a part, wholeheartedly, as we followed those traditions established by many classes before us. Yes, now we look back upon those years with thanksgiving in our hearts for all that made our Alma Mater what she is to us on this day of our graduation. Gone now is the "back-to-school" blues and the question, "What good is it all, anyway?" The final recognition of our wisdom and worthiness to be looked up to by the freshmen, all the signs of our importance, and, finally, the day when we forgot how important we were and felt like we did four years ago, embarking upon an entirely new venture, all these expectations of this last year have now been fulfilled, and are becoming just another memory; and we, with our officers, Eddy Ellegood, Betty Jett, Jerry Rose, and David Carman, who have loyally led our class during this last year at Murray State, are beginning to look back and to realize that those professors really did have good intentions, and that final exams did have a purpose. Yes, now as we are departing, we will take part of Murray State with us, as we have left a part of ourselves here at our Alma Mater; let us resolve to live up always to her standards and to cherish her traditions.





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• EDWARD TAYLOR ADAMS, Springfield, Tennessee; B.M.E.; Music; Phi Mu Alpha; Vivace Club, President 3; Campus Lights 4; All American Concert; Symphony Orchestra; Band. • ELI MILLER ALEXANDER, Murray, Kentucky; B.S.; Physical Education; M Club; Physical Education Club; International Relations Club. • PATRICIA LEWIS ALLBRITTEN, Murray, Kentucky; B.S.; English; Sigma Alpha Iota; Vivace Club; Off-Campus Girls; French Club, Secretary, Treasurer 3; Campus Lights 1, 2, 3; All American Concert 1, 2, 3. • GEORGE E. ALLEN, JR., Paducah, Kentucky; B.S.; Social Science; Paducah Junior College. • GLORIA ASHMORE, Sikeston, Missouri; B.M.E.; Piano; Sigma Alpha Iota; Vivace Club; Campus Lights 2, 3, 4. • CLEGG FARMER AUSTIN, Murray, Kentucky; B.S.; Chemistry-Biology; French Club, Vice-President 2; Chemistry Club; Beta Beta Beta. • MARKIAN S. BACZYNSKY, New York, N. Y.; B.M.E.; Violin; Phi Mu Alpha; Vivace; Campus Lights 2, 3, 4; Symphony; Band; String Orchestra 2, 3, 4; String Quartet 2, 3. • DOROTHY H. BAILIFF, Princeton, Kentucky; B.S.; Elementary Education.

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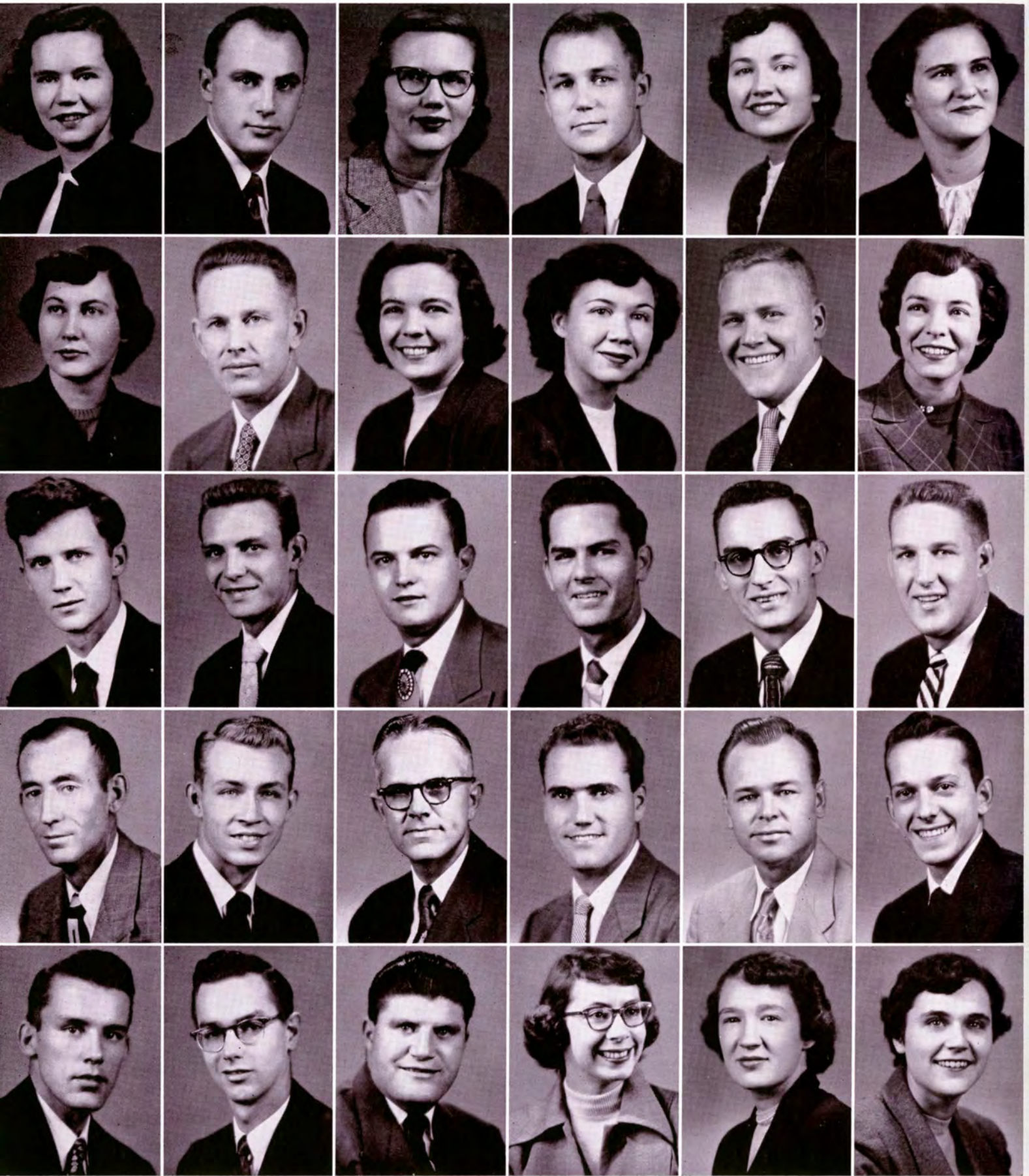
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• ROBERT J. BEATTIE, Henderson, Kentucky; B.S.; Industrial Arts Area. • BILL BELL, Paducah, Kentucky; B.A.; Art; Tau Sigma Tau; Kappa Pi; El Nortal; Ordway Council • ROBERT C. BELTZ Harrisburg, Illinois; B.M.E.; Music; Campus Lights 1, 2, 3, 4; Phi Mu Alpha, Alumni Secretary 3; Who's Who 4; A'Cappella Choir Band. • MELVIN BENNETT, Mayfield, Kentucky; B.S.; Math-Speech-Drama; Kappa Delta Pi; Sock and Buskin, Vice-President 4. • LEAMON L. BIDEWELL, Murray, Kentucky; B.S.; Physical Education-Commerce; M Club; Commerce Club; Physical Education Club.

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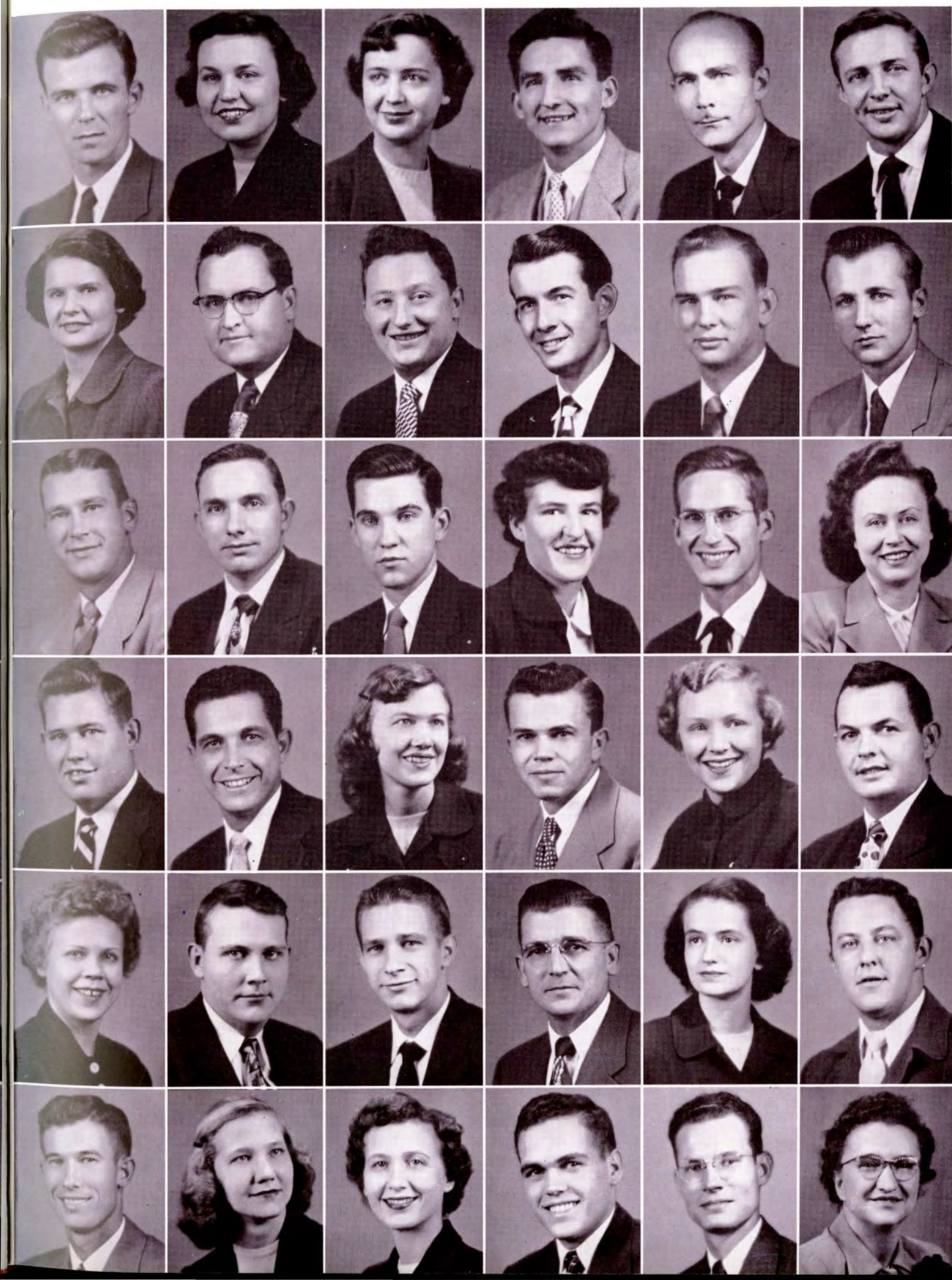
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The Murray State College graduate school for the spring semester is shown in the picture above. The picture at the left shows a class meeting of the MSC graduate school.



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MURRAY STATE COLLEGE

The MSC Campus Consists Of 60 Acres And 17 Buildings



The MSC campus consists of sixty acres. Grouped on this area are seventeen buildings of brick and stone construction, which are well planned and fully equipped. The value of campus, buildings, and equipment is approximately \$7,000,000.00.

These buildings (six are pictured on these pages) are: the Administration Building; Wilson Hall; Wells Hall (above), which was named for Dr. Rainey T. Wells, second president of the college; the Training School; the Auditorium (left); Ordway Hall; one of the men's dormitories and named in honor of Mr. G. P. Ordway, a former member of the Board of Regents of the college; the Library; the Home Management House; Oakhurst, the President's Home; the John Wesley Carr Health Building; the Warren S. Swann Memorial Dormitory; the Agricultural Engineering Building; the Fine Arts Building; the Technical Training Building, which houses the Industrial Arts Department; the Central Heating Plant; and the Science Building.



The Library (above) was built in 1931, and is one of the most beautiful buildings on the campus.

The Fine Arts Building (right) is a three-story building designed to care for the activities of the Department of Fine Arts.

Ordway Hall (below left) one of the men's dormitories, is a fireproof edifice and was first occupied in 1930.

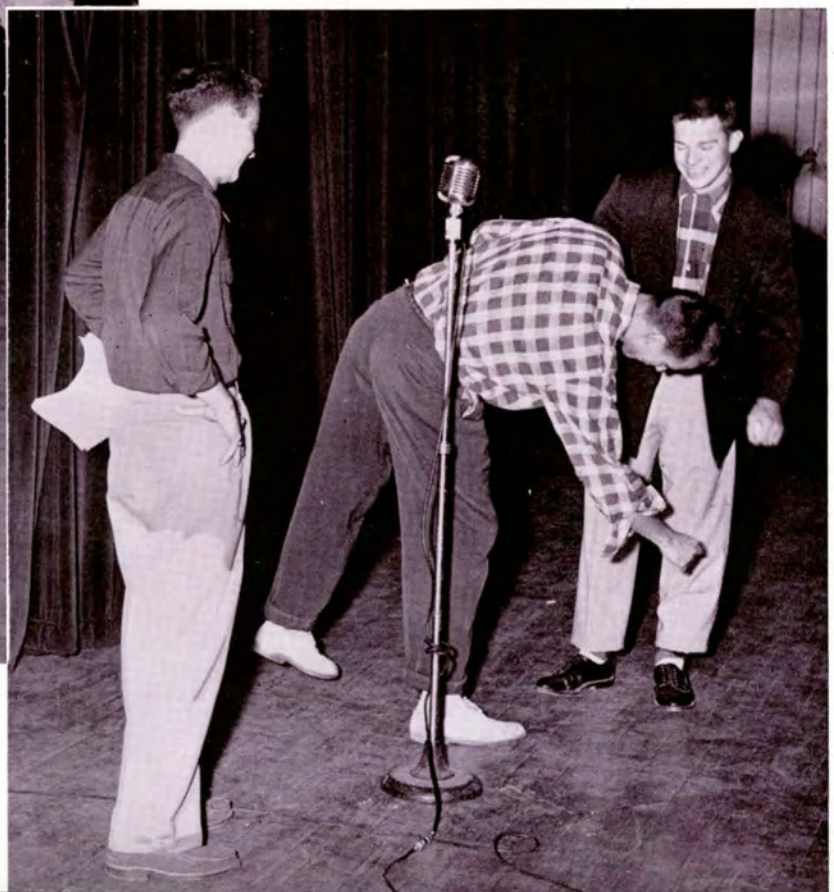
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ALPHA CHI CHAPTER

Sigma Sigma Sigma, founded at Longwood College, Virginia, 1898, and a member of the National Panhellenic Conference, installed Alpha Chi chapter on this campus in January, 1943.

Tri Sigma aims to develop character, scholarship, citizenship and spiritual consciousness among its members. Through good companionship, Charm School, Harmony Hour, and other integrated programs that encourage the personal development of individual members, Tri Sigma gives a design for living and worthwhile standards of social relationships.

"Tri Sigma serves children" is the purpose of the sorority's social service projects. Among the social service projects are maintenance of Polio Research. In addition to supporting these national projects, Alpha Chi chapter has carried out local

service projects as follows: The adoption of a French girl, Care packages, Christmas packages to Endicott Elementary School in Clark County, Virginia, and baskets of fruit to needy families.

Some of the ways through which Tri Sigma has contributed to the college campus have been in the selection of six of its members to Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities, five Tri Sigmas were elected Campus Favorites, and Maunone Chenoweth won the National Scholarship Award for the second time with a 3.00 standing.



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Alpha Sigs, do you remember . . . all the wonderful times we have had together? Our year began with our rededication service. We renewed our vows and promised to serve our sorority even better in 1952-53.

Remember how proud we felt when we received our National Achievement Award for Leadership, Scholarship and Officer Efficiency? Remember the thrill of welcoming fifteen new members into our fold as pledges, and seeing them grow into fine actives?

Remember Homecoming . . .? We enjoyed fellowship with our alumnae sisters at our annual Homecoming Lunch. After weeks of hard work and fun we were overjoyed when our Alpha Sigma float tied for second place in the Homecoming parade . . .

Remember the highlight of the year? With the approach of the Yuletide season there came our Mistletoe Ball. We danced in a "winter wonderland" to the music of Tom Lonardo.



ALICE LANDRUM
President

BETTY CYLER
Vice-President



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Corresponding Secretary

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Treasurer

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Registrar

LINDA LONG
Editor

LENORA McINTOSH
Chaplain

We didn't forget to remember others during our busy year, as we gave Thanksgiving baskets and launched the Red Cross Drive on our campus.

Remember our journey to Kentucky Dam with Tri Sig for our annual Panhellenic Workshop? Then came our Alpha Sig hayride and fun for all!

Remember . . . Honoring our mothers at our Mother and Daughter Banquet at the Woman's Club House???

It has truly been a wonderful year! Remember Alpha Sigs . . . for this year can never be again for some of us who are leaving. Remember . . . How can we forget??????

FIRST ROW : Barbara Ashcraft, Beulah Ashbrook, Martha Aldridge, Mary Bayley, Betty Beasley, Rosie Beck.

SECOND ROW: Mary C. Bolles, Vivian Bynum, Betty Ann Cook, Nancy Crisp, Lois Darnell, Ann Davis.

THIRD ROW: Joan Douglass, Jeannette Gibbs, Nancy Goode, Joyce Halteman, Betty Jett, Dorothy Jordan.

FOURTH ROW: Gail McDaniel, Onie Mabry, Celena Malone, Angelee Martin, Deen Melton, Rosalie Metzler.

FIFTH ROW: Jo Ann Morris, Zann Patton, Patsy R. Peery, Betty Robinson, Mary Sellers, Lucy Sheffer.

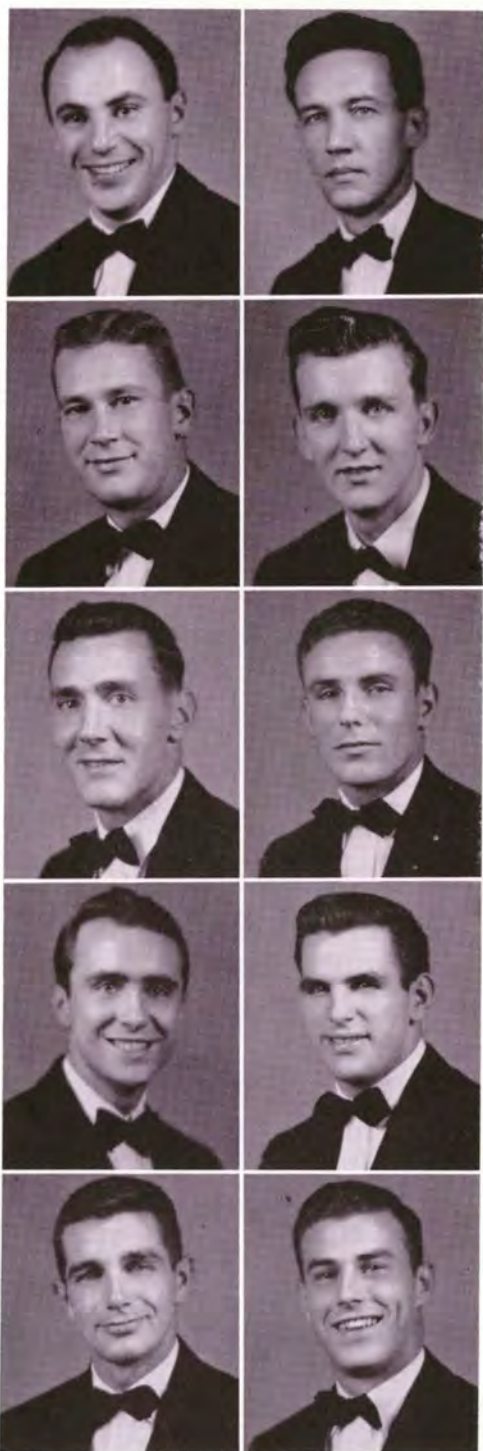
SIXTH ROW: Lillian Smith, Margaret Stroube, Dorothy Thompson, Dolores Vinson, Thelma Wade, Ann Whayne, Mary F. Wolfe.





DELTA ALPHA

The officers of Delta Alpha fraternity (left) are: First Row: Charles Burrows, president; Dr. Rex Syndergaard, sponsor. Second Row: Jim Syers, vice-president; Jim Jennings, secretary. Third Row: Jim Slattery, treasurer; John Bohna, pledgemaster. Fourth Row: Charles Uzzle, corresponding secretary; Don Harvey, sergeant-at-arms. Fifth Row: David Carman, Chaplain; and Robert Cloar, reporter.



Barbara Dean Brown (below), senior from Paducah, was elected "Delta Alpha Sweetheart of 1952". She is president of Sigma Sigma Sigma social sorority and a member of the Home Economics club. Barbara will also appear in the 1952 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."



ALPHA CHAPTER

The Alpha Chapter of Delta Alpha Fraternity has completed its 6th and most successful year on the campus of Murray State College. The fraternity's chief aim is to bring about better unity among the students of the different departments. Among its numerous activities were, the "Pigskin Ball," its fifth annual production of the "Last Resort," the Homecoming Breakfast and float, "Dunk-a-clown" booth in the Spring Carnival, and the "Spring Dance." Delta Alpha contributed to many charitable organizations, namely the Red Cross, Community Chest, Robbie Page Memorial Fund, and its members serve as members of Murray's Walking Blood Bank. An annual scholarship fund has been set aside which will be awarded to an incoming freshman boy each fall semester.

We wish to express our appreciation to the students, faculty and friends of Murray State, who have made these activities possible.



FIRST ROW: Milton Arter, Jack Biggart, Bill Chilton, Owen Clopton, Jim Coleman, Cliff Cowan, Herbert Darnell.

SECOND ROW: Burns Davis, Chris Dimas, Jim Fitzgerald, Joe Ford, Harold Gaines, Ken Hodge, Jay Hodges.

THIRD ROW: Tom Hooper, Don Hughes, Bill Jackson, Jerry Johnson, Eddie Moore, Bob Pendlebury, Earl Pride.

FOURTH ROW: Jerry Scates, Dick Sears, Morgan Sisk, Jack Thorpe, Otis Valentine, Charles W. Waldrop, J. O. Watters, Joe H. Wilson.

T A U S I G M A T A U



ALPHA CHAPTER

FIRST ROW: Dean Akridge, David Allen, Gene Barnett, Bill Bell, Gene Bramlett, Bob Burnett.

SECOND ROW: Bobby Eaker, Bob Farless, Henry Gatlin, James Hamilton, Byron Heath.

THIRD ROW: Gene Jernigan, George Ligon, Bob McMillion, Gary Meikirk, Don Pace, Bill Parker.

FOURTH ROW: Bill Priest, Bob Pullin, James Roberts, Wendell Rorie, Carl Sarten.

FIFTH ROW: Richard Shackleford, Lonnie Sinclair, Ronald Smith, Paul Taylor, Allen Teasley, David West.



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Corresponding Secretary
WALTER MISCHKE
Chaplain



GERALD ROSE
Vice-President



BILL WILES
President



HARRY SPARKS
Sponsor



RAY DEVINE
Treasurer



TED ALLEN
Recording Secretary
BAILEY MAGRUDER
Custodian



... responsible to God, to self, to one another
... pledged to the humble, hearty company of all men
... bound together in mutual respect and cooperation
... Tau Sigma Tau



LA NEIL POWELL
Attendant



LILLIAN SMITH
Sweetheart



LENORA McINTOSH
Attendant

SIGMA ALPHA IOTA



IOTA BETA CHAPTER

Gone—another great year in SAI, MSC's professional music fraternity for women. We've had lots of fun, work, and play (mostly work it seemed at times). We sponsored our first (perhaps the campus's first) Masquerade Ball, our annual All-American Concert in conjunction with the Phi Mu Alpha boys, a Hamburger Supper and a Rose Party for prospective pledges, etc., etc. And of course the big thing that both SAI and Phi Mu plan and work toward all year—"Campus Lights!"

We've celebrated Incorporation Day, attended recitals, entertained our province prexy, and initiated nine new members including: Lin Davidson, Helen Faughn, Jeane Gibbs, Marilyn Neal, Barbara Pinckney (our Ideal Pledge), Betty Robinson, Mildred Anne Wood, and Beverly Zook. Our scholarship winners for this year were Marilyn Neal and Lin Davidson.

Always there in the background to help us and keep us "on the ball" has been our faithful sponsor, our one and only "Pop" Doyle. For next year in SAI and to the successive officers we wish all the success and luck possible.



ANN CHISSOM
President



SHIRLEY HOUSTON
Vice-President



NORMA WIMAN
Secretary



MARIAN FISK
Treasurer



ROZELLA JAMES
Chaplain



BARBARA WIMAN
Sergeant-At-Arms



VIVIAN BYNUM
Editor



FIRST ROW: Patricia Allbritten, Jody Archer, Gloria Ashmore, Betty J. Beltz, Jackie Boswell, Eleanor Colville, Vernie Croghan, Anne Crouse.

SECOND ROW: Joan Douglass, Nadine Downing, Ann Feltner, Margaret Graham, Carol Hilton, Clara Joy, Gwilla Kupchynsky, Billye Ladd.

THIRD ROW: Betty Leyerle, Marjorie McCord, Deen Melton, Anita Morgan, Barbara Owen, Nancy Parsons, Dianne Peak, Lois Penfield.

FOURTH ROW: Ann Roberts, Ruth Sherer, Charlotte Smith, Gloria Stice, Fay Taylor, Marilyn Thompson, Jonell Turner, Shirley Vineyard, Nancy Wiley.



PHI MU ALPHA

GAMMA DELTA CHAPTER

Gamma Delta, the Murray State chapter of Phi Mu Alpha, music fraternity, received its charter from the national organization in 1938.

Each year Phi Mu Alpha sponsors three scholarships for incoming students of music who show promise of becoming outstanding musicians. Additionally, Phi Mu Alpha co-sponsors, with Sigma Alpha Iota, the All American Concert using music by American composers.

Gamma Delta is most widely known on the campus and throughout the area for its annual musical show, "Campus Lights." "Campus Lights," produced in conjunction with Sigma Alpha Iota, has been presented on the Murray Campus each spring for the past fifteen years. "Campus Lights," the high point of the year in campus entertainment, has been recognized as one of the top shows of its type in the United States.

In keeping with its object of advancing the cause of music in America, Phi Mu Alpha attempts, through the All American Concert, "Campus Lights," and its dance band, "The Men of Note," to bring the best music of all types to the campus.



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Faculty Advisor



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Secretary



RALPH TRAVIS
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Historian



EDWARD T. ADAMS
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CHARLES WM. LUTHER
Alumni Secretary



ROBERT BARR



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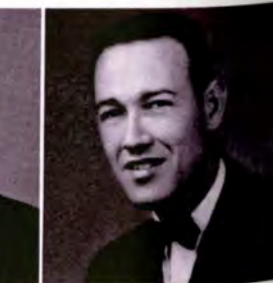
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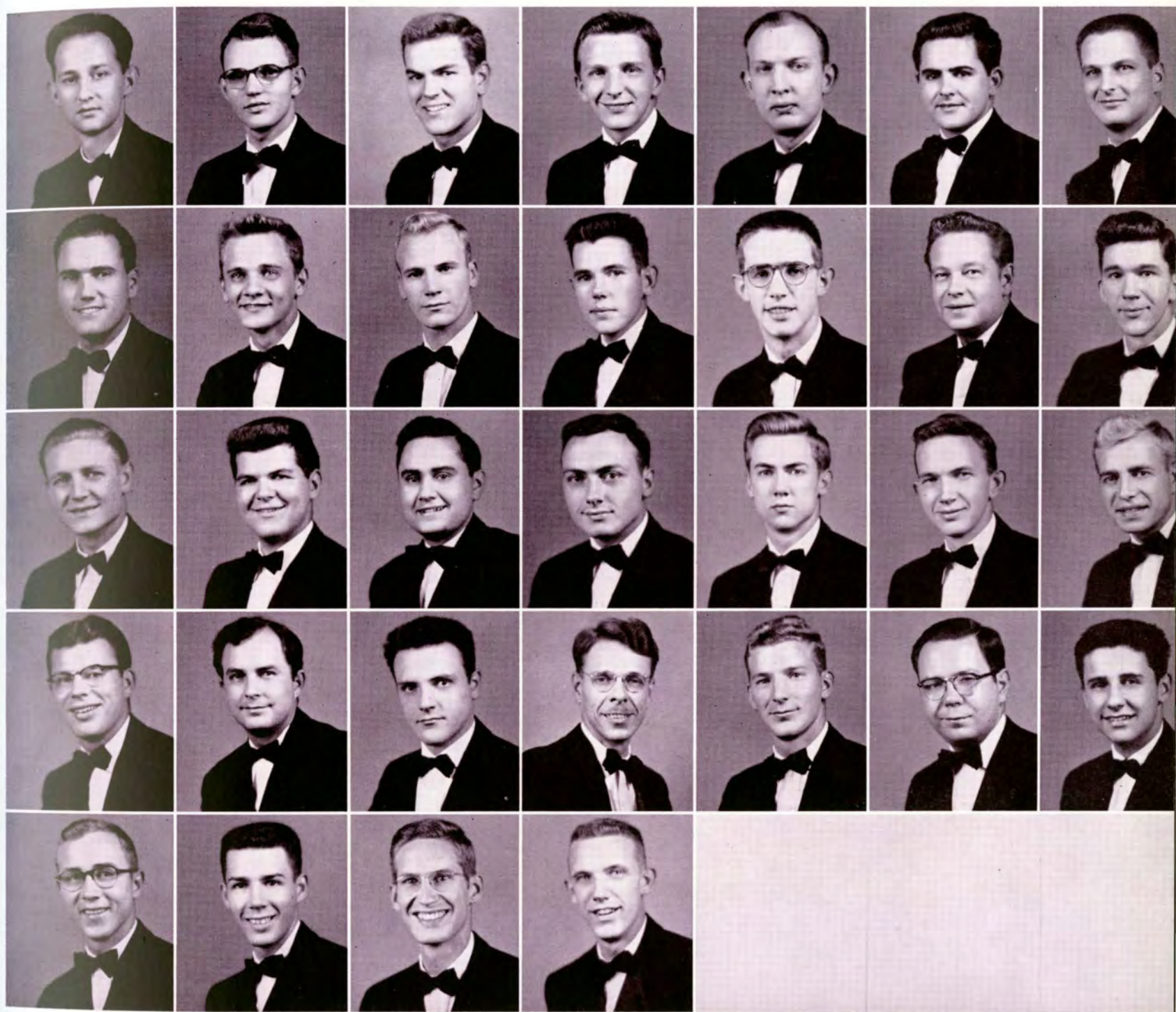
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R. W. TERHUNE



JOHN C. WINTER



FIRST ROW: Mark Baczynsky, Gene Barnett, Bob Beltz, George Bieber, Courtney Bonner, Lewis Bradley, Joe Carpenter.

SECOND ROW: Roy C. Eastin, Tom Ferguson, Jim Fern, Joe Hambrick, Tom Hurley, Charles James, Gene Jernigan.

THIRD ROW: Roger Joiner, Wayne Leazer, Charles Man-

chester, Fred Omer, Bob Phillips, Hugh Preble, Carl Ray.

FOURTH ROW: Don Ritter, Bill Robins, Lawrence Royster, Warren Rutherford, Ronald Sholar, Bill Smith, Ronald Surace.

FIFTH ROW: Dorse Taber, Blanton Tarr, Paul Turley, Jerry Warmuth.



K A P P A P I

ALPHA ALPHA CHI CHAPTER



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President

HUGH PREBLE
Vice-President

MARTHA NASH
Secretary

JIM ROBERTS
Treasurer

MISS CLARA EAGLE
Sponsor

Kappa Pi, a national honorary art fraternity, was established to honor outstanding students in the field of visual arts. Alpha Alpha Chi Chapter of Kappa Pi was established on the Murray campus in May, 1950, one of seventy-five chapters in the United States.

Alpha Alpha Chi Chapter and Portfolio Club sponsored the annual Christmas Sale this year. This sale gives the students of the art department an opportunity to sell their work. The Murray chapter was in charge of the regional Kappa Pi exhibit for this past year.



FIRST ROW: Bill Bell, Sylvia Clark, Gene Geurin, Jo Ann Humphreys.

SECOND ROW: Bobby McGee, Jo Ann Morris, Bill Pryor, Charles Skaggs.

MEMBERS NOT PICTURED: Ardath Boyd and Mr. Donald Finegan, sponsor.

BETA BETA BETA



WALTER WOODS
President

DOT WENDT
Vice-President

BETTY ROBISON
Secretary

TED ALLEN
Treasurer

DR. A. M. WOLFSON
Sponsor

Beta Beta Beta is a society for students of the biological sciences. It seeks to encourage a scholarly attainment in this field of learning by reserving its membership for those who achieve superior academic records and who indicate special aptitude for the subject of biology.

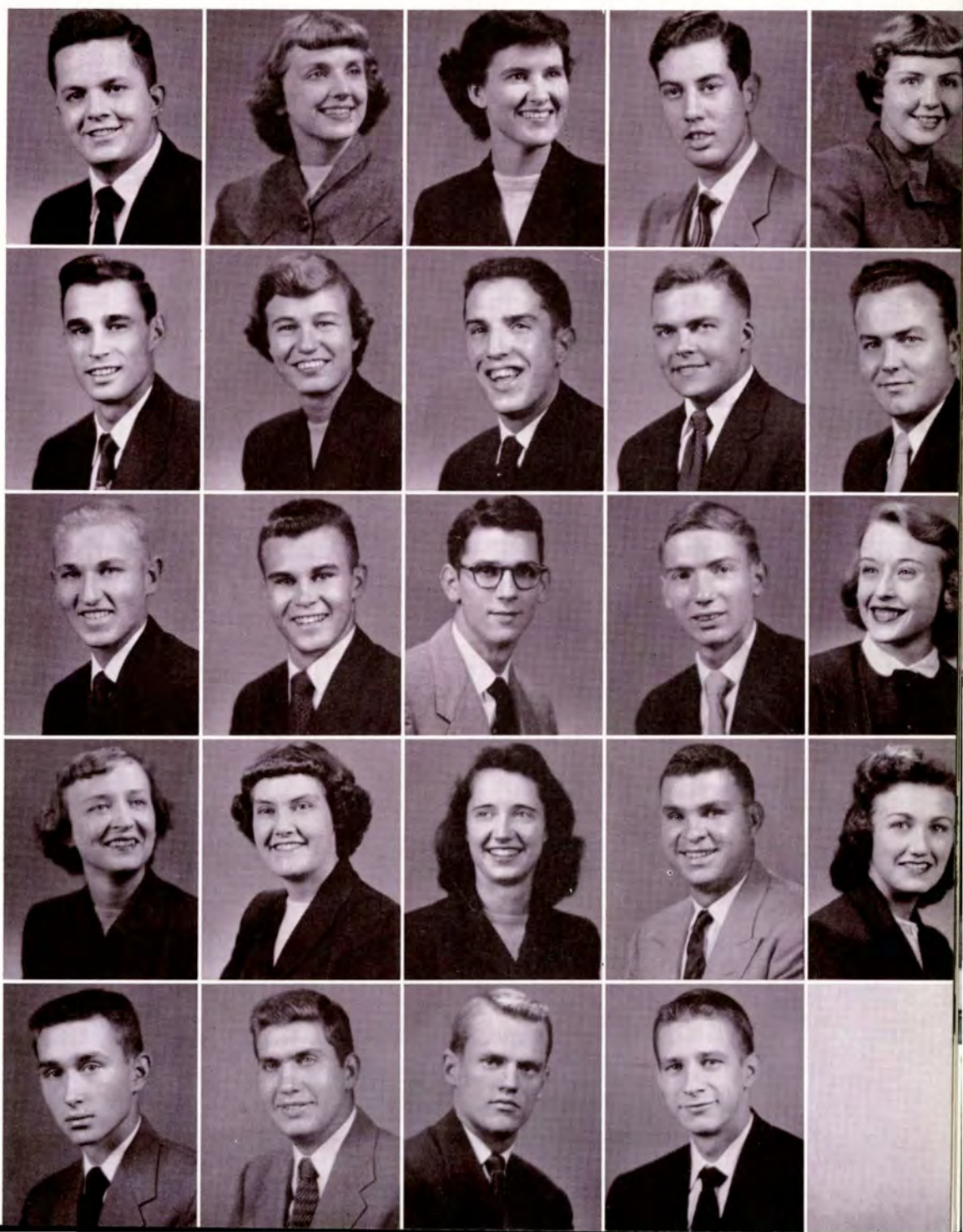
FIRST ROW: Clegg Austin, Joyce Bruner, Betty Cook, Ted Frazer, Glenda Fuller.

SECOND ROW: Jim Hamilton, Phyllis Harris, Gene Hendon, Dick Hicks, Joe Hiedt.

THIRD ROW: Thomas Lee Hopkins, Don Hughes, William McElwain, Ronald McGregor, Carol Mertz.

FOURTH ROW: Rosaline Metzler, Dixie Morgan, Barbara Owens, Charlie Shields, Lillian Smith.

FIFTH ROW: Bobby Spencer, Paul Taylor, Charlie Waldrop, Bill Wiles.





KAPPA DELTA PI

OFFICERS

WILLIAM McELRATH	<i>President</i>
JEAN LEETH VEAL	<i>Vice-President</i>
JO ANN MORRIS.....	<i>Historian-Recorder</i>
NANCY GOODE PAGE.....	<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>
RUTH ASHMORE	<i>Treasurer and Acting Counselor</i>
B. J. TILLMAN.....	<i>Counselor</i>

Kappa Delta Pi, an honor society in education, aims to foster high standards of preparation for teaching and to bring into more intimate fellowship those who have attained excellence in scholarship and distinction for their achievement as students and servants of education. Delta Omega Chapter was installed at Murray on May 31, 1939.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club is an organization which helps its members to interpret the purpose and functions of home economics, and to understand the opportunities for careers in home economics. Also it provides an opportunity for the girls in the department to enjoy fellowship and social hours together.

The officers of the Home Economics Club are Jean Corn, President; Mary Anna Graves, Vice President; Reba Roberts, Secretary; Ann Moss, Treasurer; and Mary Ann Grant, Reporter.



EPSILON OMICRON SIGMA

Epsilon Omicron Sigma, dedicated to the interest of journalism, is one of the newest organizations on the campus.



Officers of the organization are: Ben Hall, president; Gary Neikirk, vice-president; George Ligon, secretary-treasurer; and David Allen, editor of the *Fuse*.

ALPHA BETA ALPHA

Alpha Beta Alpha is a national undergraduate fraternity for Librarians. Epsilon Chapter was installed at Murray State College on January 17, 1953.

Motto: Service, People, Books and Life.

Colors: White and Royal Purple.

Flower: White Rose.



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MARJORIE KERN
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ANNA BOLINGER
Secretary

GLENNA PICRSALL
Treasurer

WANDA CALHOUN
Corresponding Secretary

BETTY JETT
Reporter

MISS REZINA SENTER
Sponsor

LOIS DARNELL

MARY ANN BRADY

NANCY MAY

BRINDA SMITH

BARBARA GRUBBS

NELL MABRY

ZOE WILLIAMS

NELLIE STRICKLAND

CHARLOTTE MITCHELL

PI OMEGA PI

In December of 1952 the Department of Commerce of Murray State was granted a probationary chapter of Pi Omega Pi, a national honorary business education fraternity for future teachers of business subjects.

At the first meeting, officers elected to serve until May, when the official chapter will be installed, were: Rob Ray, President; Martha Sawyer, Vice-President; Louise Brown, Secretary; Ina Ruth McElwain, Treasurer; and Wayne Cochran, Historian. Mr. Thomas Hogancamp, head of the Department of Commerce, was made an honorary member and faculty advisor.

Membership in Pi Omega Pi is open to sophomores, juniors and seniors who are taking business teacher training. A 2.0 scholastic average in education and business subjects plus a 1.5 rating in all other college subjects is required for membership.





Members of Sock and Buskin are: First Row—Joan Kirkland, Stephanie Komaniszyn, Dianne Peak, Zetta Yates, Jean Heath and Carol Walker. Second Row—Ernie Bakos, Vicki Thomis, Helen McPherson, Zoe Williams, Joan Douglass, Dorothy Wyatt, Betty Leyerle, Mary Jo Williams, Catherine Yonker, and Bill Wiles. Third Row—Bobby McGee, Joe Miller, Leon Bennett, Don Snyder, Max Grogan, Chris Dimas, Bob Bell, Tom Russell, and W. J. Robertson.



Sock and Buskin officers are Helen McPherson, Historian; Joe Miller, President; W. J. Robertson, Sponsor; Don Snyder, Sergeant-at-Arms; Zoe Williams, Secretary. Officers not pictured are Melvin Bennett, Vice-President and Eddy Ellegood, Treasurer.

SOCK AND BUSKIN

Sock and Buskin was organized in 1926 as the dramatic club on the campus. As an organization, it seeks to promote interest in all phases of dramatic and theatre work and to encourage student participation.

Since the last edition of the *SHIELD* the club has produced *You Can't Take It With You*, a bill of one act plays, *Claudia*, and *Hotel Universe*.

Inaugurated this year was the club's first summer theatre. Held at the Kentucky Dam State Park auditorium, it was the first venture of its kind in this section of the country. Artistically and financially it was a great success and it will be opened again this summer. Among the productions were: *Papa Is All*, *Blythe Spirit*, and *Bertha the Beautiful Typewriter Girl*.

Claudia was the first production from Murray to play in Mayfield. It is hoped that this will be the beginning of an annual tour of the cities and towns in West Kentucky.

Sock and Buskin also sponsored a wonderful production of the *Merchant of Venice* by the Barter Theatre of Virginia and instituted a new film series which brought *Quartet* in January and *Great Expectations* in March.

ALPHA PSI OMEGA

GAMMA EPSILON CHAPTER

The Gamma Epsilon chapter of Alpha Psi Omega was installed on Murray State campus in 1937. As the oldest fraternity on the campus, it was organized as a national dramatic fraternity for those doing a high standard of work in dramatics.

During the last year Gamma Epsilon cast was invited to compete in the Southeast Regional Convention of Alpha Psi Omega at Nashville, Tennessee. Their production of "Hello Out There" won second place in the contest and won three out of five acting awards.



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President

EDDY ELLEGOOD
Vice-President

BETTY JETT
Secretary-Treasurer

W. J. ROBERTSON
Sponsor



Alpha Psi Omega presented Noel Coward's *Blithe Spirit* last year. Above is a scene from the production, which starred Ruth Osborne, Vivian Sauber, and Hu Madrey.



MELVIN BENNETT

JOAN DOUGLASS

JOAN KIRKLAND

BETTY LEYERLE

HELEN McPHERSON

DIANNE PEAK

VICKI THOMIS

ZETTA YATES



WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



OFFICERS

BRINDA SMITH	<i>President</i>
WANDA HOLLAND	<i>Vice-President</i>
ALICE HART	<i>Secretary</i>
JANICE WHEELER	<i>Treasurer</i>
SUE NASER	<i>Chairman of Awards</i>
ANN DAVIS	<i>Publicity</i>
MRS. FRED FAROUT.....	<i>Sponsor</i>

The Women's Athletic Association is a national organization for all women who are interested in participating in any sport or activity and who are concerned with healthful living. The extra activities include such things as: Sports Days at Southern Illinois University and University of Kentucky, and enjoying picnics and outings at Kentucky Lake.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLUB

OFFICERS

JAY WITT	<i>President</i>
ALICE HART	<i>Vice-President</i>
PHYL HARRIS	<i>Secretary</i>
NANCY PAGE	<i>Treasurer</i>
DOT WENDT	<i>Publicity</i>
BRINDA SMITH	<i>Publicity</i>



The Physical Education Club is composed of all students who are majoring or minoring in physical education and concerned with the promotion of good health. Recently the club has become nationally affiliated with the American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The club takes an active part in campus activities and its members enjoy a picnic at Kentucky Lake in the spring.

COMMERCE CLUB



The Commerce Club meets semi-monthly to give students a professional interest in business and business teaching. Through these meetings the department endeavors to create a stronger tie between students and faculty members. Some of the activities include sponsoring a float in the homecoming parade, an annual fall semester banquet, a picnic at Kentucky Lake during the spring and sponsoring an annual meeting of high school teachers of business subjects.

Officers for the fall semester, reading left to right are: Rob Ray, president; George Ligon, vice-president; Ina Ruth McElwain, secretary; Arch Hosick, treasurer; Harry Parker, reporter; Hugh E. Wilson, sergeant-at-arms and Mr. Fred Gingles, sponsor.

Officers for the spring semester (not pictured) are: George Ligon, president; Lacy Joiner, vice-president; Lucy Sheffer, secretary; David West, treasurer; Richard Griffey, reporter; Raymond Sumner, sergeant-at-arms and Mr. Fred Gingles, sponsor.





ASSOCIATION FOR CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

OFFICERS

ANGELEE MARTIN*President*

BETTY KREISLER*Treasurer*

MIMI ELLIS*Vice-President*

JO BRASHEARS*Secretary*

MISS RUBIE SMITH.....*Sponsor*

A. C. E. is a professional organization created to form a closer relationship among those interested in working for and with children, either as teachers and administrators, or as social workers. Its members take an active part in cam-

pus activities, and render many services to teachers and parent groups. The local organization is affiliated with Association for Childhood Education International.



INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB

OFFICERS

TADDY POTTS*President*
 PAUL LYONS*Vice-President*
 HOWARD BRANDON*Secretary*
 BILL HATLEY*Treasurer*
 JOSEPH D. MINOR.....*Public Relations*

The purpose of the Industrial Arts Club is to foster student participation in the extra-curricular activities of the Industrial Arts department and to promote a better understanding of the Industrial Arts field.



The Industrial Arts Club float (left), "The Old Gray Mare," won first place in the 1952 Homecoming float contest.





NURSING EDUCATION

The Nems Club was organized to impress upon the student nurses the standards and ideals of the nursing profession and to create closer bonds of friendship among the nursing students through fellowship and social activities.

The officers are as follows: President, Marilyn Gregson; Vice-President, Mary Fish; Secretary, Mary Edna Buren; Treasurer, Barbara Williams; Historian and Reporter, Charlene Van Meter.





AGRICULTURE CLUB

The annual Agriculture Club banquet was held at Kenlake Hotel on December 4, 1952.



The Agriculture Club functions to coordinate the efforts of all those students interested in the many phases of agriculture. It strives to provide educational and recreational opportunities, to develop leadership, agricultural improvements and a greater appreciation of our natural resources.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

OFFICERS

WENDELL RORIE*President*
JIM SLATTERY*Vice-President*
BETTY CLYMER*Secretary*
BOB SUGG*Treasurer*
W. D. AESCHBACHER.....*Faculty Adviser*

The International Relations Club is one of the oldest organizations on the campus. The club meets semi-monthly and attempts through its programs, to stimulate interest in world affairs and promote understanding and good will among the nations of the world.

This year the local chapter sent delegates to the state, regional, and national convention of the organization.



VIVACE CLUB

OFFICERS

PAUL TURLEY*President*
EDDY ELLEGOOD*Vice-President*
CHARLOTTE SMITH*Secretary-Treasurer*

Vivace, one of the oldest clubs on Murray's campus, was organized in 1933 for the purpose of bringing together those whose common interest was music.

On the morning of each Homecoming Vivace's present members gather with its grads at the Hut for a Homecoming breakfast which has become a tradition.

Vivace recognizes musical worth by placing the names of the Music Department's Outstanding Senior Boy and Girl on a plaque in the Recital Hall.





W E L L ' S H A L L C O U N C I L

The Wells Hall Council, governing body of the girls dormitory, is composed of twelve members—four elected officers selected by the entire house in the spring and representatives chosen from each of the four classes and the four floors in the fall. The council seeks to promote the best interests of all the girls by interpreting rules and furnishing leadership in conforming to regulations. Socially, it provides parties, teas, and informal get-togethers; materially, it uses its funds to make the dormitory more livable and comfortable.

As the council fires burn, so the spirit of Wells Hall continues to glow throughout the years.

The officers of the council are Jackie Gardner, President; Mimi Ellis, Vice-President; Nancy Crisp, Secretary; Lillian Smith, Treasurer and Miss Ruth Ashmore, Counselor.





BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

"The Baptist Student Union seeks to strengthen, correlate, and unify the Baptist religious activities, and to enlist every Baptist student in the school in a local Baptist church."



Pictured above is a typical noon devotions group, and below is a scene at the annual Christmas Coffee.



W E S L E Y F O U N D A T I O N

"God's service station" . . . to the many students who desire to combine love and worship of God with their many activities, this is just what the Methodist Student Center means. On a campus, it means a great deal to relax and refuel our daily life with a few minutes of spiritual fellowship. Located just across from the campus the Center is open each afternoon and each evening except Monday and Thursday, providing an opportunity for all students to use its recreational facilities. Noon devotions are held daily at 12:30 and vesper service is conducted at 6:30 on Sunday evenings.

The Center is designed to be a real "home away from home" for all students on the campus who wish to come.



OFFICERS

DAVID ALLEN *President*

ANGLEE MARTIN *Vice-President*

JOANN MISCHKE *Vice-President*

JACKIE GARDNER *Secretary*

CHARLES UZZLE *Treasurer*

MRS. J. E. CROSS *Director*

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

Young Women's Christian Association is an organization which holds as its purpose the desire to realize full and creative life through a growing knowledge of God.

Any girl who attends Murray State is eligible for membership in Y. W. C. A. One of the outstanding affairs of MSC is the Big-Little Sister Picnic which is sponsored by Y. W. C. A. annually. This is enjoyed by all girls and is when many freshmen become acquainted with upperclassmen.

Elected to serve as officers for the 1952-53 term were: President—Betty Hoff; Vice President—Ann Davis; Secretary—Lucy Sheffer; Treasurer—Susan Naser; and Reporter—Marge Kern.



STUDENT RELIGIOUS COUNCIL

The Student Religious Council is composed of representatives from religious organizations on the campus, the counselors or advisors of these groups, and the ministers of Murray. Its purpose is to bring these religious groups into closer fellowship and promote religious life of all students. Each spring this council sponsors the Religious Emphasis Week for part of its program in elevating the spiritual life of the students on the campus of Murray State College.

The officers of the council are Wanda Calhoun, President; Joann Mischke, Vice-President; Mary F. Wolfe, Secretary and J. Matt Sparkman, Treasurer.



DISCIPLE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP

The Disciple Student Fellowship, supported by the Christian Churches of Kentucky, strives for spiritual growth of the student while he is obtaining a secular education in the College. The Disciple Center is truly "the Center" of activities for the DSF, with a home-like atmosphere in a place of worship.

The officers are Dan Cowherd, President; Margaret Stroube, 1st Vice-President; Walter Woods, 2nd Vice-President; Jenne Lou Jellison, Secretary; Joyce Russell, Treasurer, and Robert Ruff, Director.



ORDWAY HALL COUNCIL

The members of the Ordway Hall Council reading from left to right are Bob Wheeler, Vice President; Floyd Cooper; Bill Bell, President; Bob Pullin; Gerry Rose, Secretary-Treasurer; W. G. Read, Sponsor; standing—David Allen;

Bill Williams; Bob Chaney; Bill Priest; Chester Davis; David Carman; Bob Sugg; Bill Harrell; and Vernon James.



THE ROMANCE LANGUAGE CLUB

Heretofore, we have had both a French Club and a Spanish Club on our campus. This year, however, the two clubs have organized as one in order that, through strength in numbers, they can accomplish more. We plan to have programs and speakers which will interest and enlighten members from both the French and Spanish classes. Our officers are: Anna Sue Cochran, President; Bob Claycomb, Vice-President; Maurelle Kirksey, Secretary and Treasurer; Glenda Fuller, Program Chairman. Miss Annie Smith is our advisor.



AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY

MURRAY STATE COLLEGE CHAPTER

Dr. W. E. Blackburn, sponsor, Clegg Austin, Johnny Linn, Bobby Dunn, James Hamilton, William Parker, Joe Hiett, Glenda Fuller, Joyce Bruner, James Hurd, Betty Robinson, Robert Ferguson, Ronald McGregor, Dixie Morgan, Harold Sasse, and Richard James. Members not

pictured are Bagwell, Boone, Clopton, Combs, Cook, Cox, Cremer, Dewese, Dublin, Frazer, Glasgow, Harvey, Heath, Hicks, Hughes, Powell, Sarten, Scates, Spencer, Walker, Hicks and Waldrop.





“ M ” C L U B

OFFICERS

First Semester

J. O. WATTERS.....*President*
 ELMER SCHWEISS*Vice-President*
 RAY LAFSER*Secretary-Treasurer*
 SHERMAN CHILDS*Reporter*

OFFICERS

Second Semester

HAROLD GAINES*President*
 ELI ALEXANDER*Vice-President*
 RAY LAFSER*Secretary-Treasurer*
 GENE MUELLER*Reporter*



P E R S H I N G R I F L E S

COMPANY "G" THIRD REGIMENT R.O.T.C.

Standing: Lieutenant John Garst, Cadet Corporal Robert S. Alcorn, Cadet Sergeant John Kolb, Jr., Cadet Corporal William H. Claxton, Cadet Corporal Festus Robertson, Jr., First Sergeant Bob Pullin, Cadet Corporal Jack W. Harris, Cadet Alfred V. Nichols.

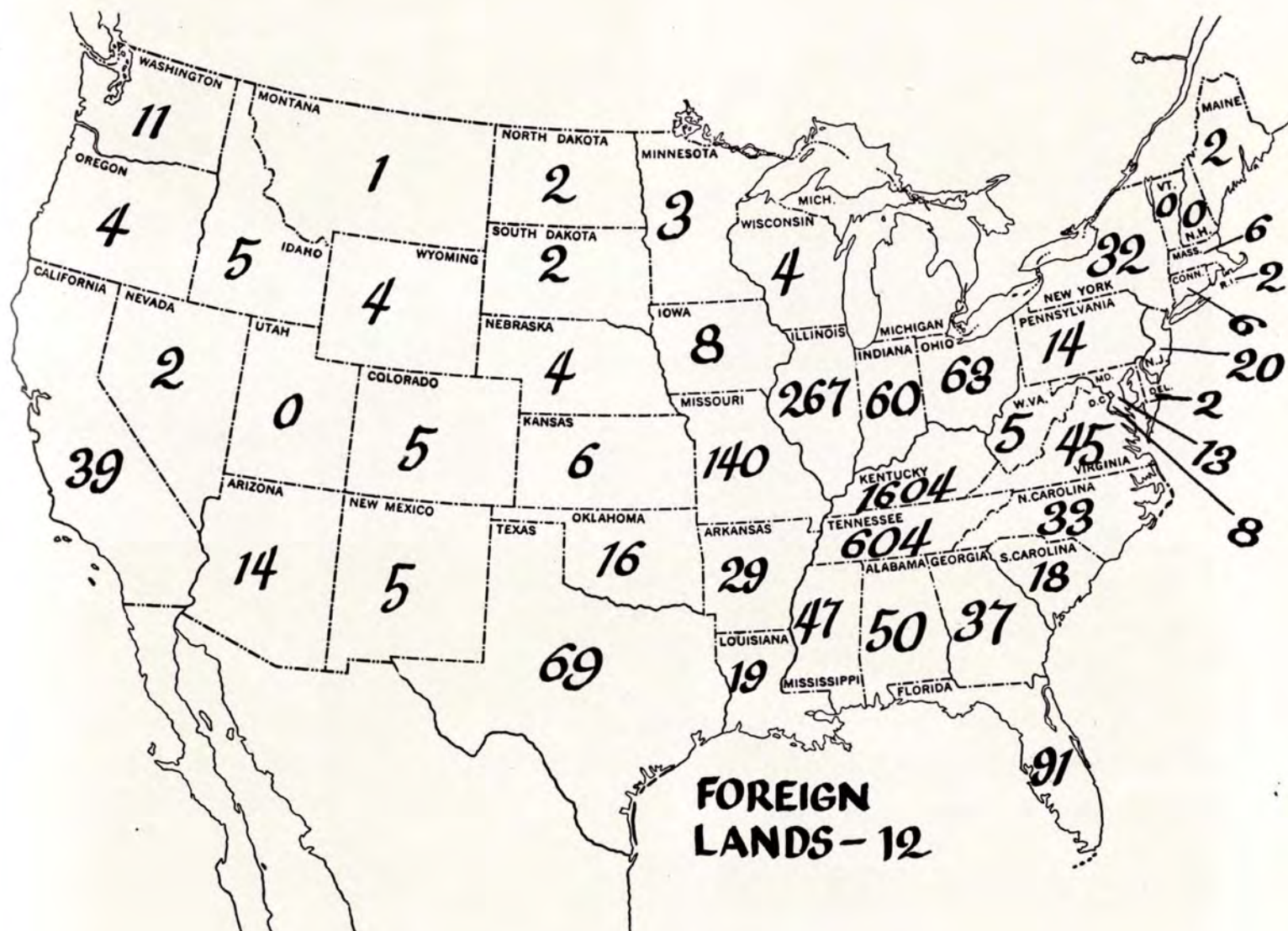
Seated: Captain P. H. Thames, Lieutenant J. G. Steinbeck, Joan Kirkland, "Sweetheart," Lieutenant Bob Bell, Lieutenant Bob Sugg, Lieutenant Donald Davis.



WHERE MURRAY STATE ALUMNI LIVE AND WORK

3506 ALUMNI—JANUARY 1953

Since Murray State College was founded in 1923 more than thirty-five hundred students have been graduated. They now live and work in all of the forty-eight states, except three, as shown on the map above.



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MURRAY STATE COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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ACTIVITIES





STUDENT ORGANIZATION

SO Serves As Link Between The Students And Administration

The Student Organization is selected by the entire student body and serves as the link between the students and the administration.

The council sponsors dances and other social activities for the students and works with the other organizations on the campus to keep the social calendar full. One of the main events that the Student Organization makes possible is the Big Name Dance which has been an annual affair on this campus for several years, and it has always been one of the most looked-forward-to dances of the year.

The council also sponsors the class officer elections, the Miss Murray State and Campus Favorite elections, and the selection of Murray's delegate to the Mountain Laurel Festival which always arouses a lot of competition and interest. In addition to these, the members of the Student Org choose the cheerleaders by means of tryouts, and sponsor their trips with the ball clubs. The council also selects the outstanding Senior Boy and Girl who are presented to the student body in a chapel program sponsored by the Student Org. Another outstanding source of competition that the Student Org sponsors is the awarding of prizes for the Homecoming parade floats.

Kangaroo Kourt is a name dreaded by all freshmen but enjoyed by the upper classmen, because this is the Student Organization's program ending the official initiation of the freshmen in the fall of the year. Kangaroo Kourt is a fearful thing to the freshmen but is looked back upon in their following years as one of the memorable events.



WENDELL RORIE
President



BOB PULLIN
Vice-President



BETTY CLYMER
Secretary



GEORGE LIGON
Treasurer

A new function of the Student Organization is the "Suggestion Box" which is placed in various buildings over the campus for the convenience of the students to make their suggestions to the betterment of student government and the school in general.

The Student Organization is one of the busiest and most important organizations on the campus and merits the approval and cooperation of the entire campus.

*The student body selected the students pictured at the left to represent them on the Student Organization. They are seated (left to right) Ruth Douglas, freshman; Wendell Rorie; Bob Pullin; Betty Clymer; George Ligon; Ann Chissom, senior; and Phyllis Harris, junior; standing, Jay Hodges, sophomore; Jim Hamilton, sophomore; Jim Syers, senior; Gene Barlow, freshman, and Ronnie Sholar, junior.

THE COLLEGE NEWS

First Issue Of CN Appeared Twenty-Seven Years Ago

The College News, the official student newspaper, is in its 27th year of publication. The purpose of the bi-weekly newspaper is to report the campus news for the students and alumni. Among the scoops the *College News* has been able to give the students this year were the fraternity sweet-

CSP. Both ratings are the highest given by the two associations.

When the first issue of the *College News* appeared 27 years ago, it was a small six-column paper with no cartoons, no pictures, and no ads. The progress of the paper during the years has been marked by the using of student-drawn cartoons, many pictures, and ads. The paper is now a standard-size eight-column paper with six and sometimes eight pages. The present circulation is approximately 2500.

The *College News* has changed radically as new methods and improvements replaced the older ways of doing things. Today there is much more activity on the campus as the college, as well as the paper, has improved and grown bigger through the years. The *College News* has recorded much of this progress.

The publication is written and edited by students in the Division of Journalism under the direction of Prof. E. G. Schmidt.

Jane Allen Priest (below) is an English major and a journalism minor. This is her third year as a member of the CN staff; she has held positions as society editor, feature editor, assistant editor, co-editor and editor. She is a member of Epsilon Omicron Sigma.

Professor E. G. Schmidt (above) is journalism instructor at MSC and director of the *College News*. The publication is edited and published by the students in this field.

hearts, the name band, the jazz concert, Who's Who, and others. The paper sponsored a straw vote during the national presidential election campaign.

The *College News* is a member of the Associated Collegiate Press, the Columbia Scholastic Press, the Kentucky Press Association, and the National Editorial Association. The paper received an All-American rating in 1950-51 from the ACP and the Medalist rating in 1952 from the





Other members of the *College News* staff are: Gary Neikirk, advertising manager; Bill Williams, assistant editor; Jo Ann Morris, society editor; Bill Brook, feature editor; and Bill Smith, sports editor.

THE 1953

Annual Is Different In Several Ways

This is it! This is what you've waited for . . . and what we've wondered at times whether you would get. At last, after months of scheduling photographs, drawing layouts, writing copy, proofreading, and a thousand and one other details involved in producing a yearbook, you have this one hundred and seventy-seven page volume of slick paper, photographs, and printed type in your hands.

We have attempted to include in this publication what you would like to look at—now for your enjoyment and later for memories. We have attempted to present it in such a way that you will be able to leaf through its pages years from now and have a complete picture, both in photographs and words, of the wonderful days which you spent at Murray State College in 1952-53.

The style is different, the presentation is different, the color of the printing ink is different, and the cover is different from previous yearbooks you have seen. We have tried new ideas, some may be good, some may be bad; however, if through looking at its photographs and reading its copy, you have been entertained, then we will have achieved our principal goal.

John Oldham, editor, and Jean Malone, assistant editor, (left) pause for a photograph.



Above: Activities, organization, and sports editors are Mary Ann Brady, Glenda Fuller, and Bill Smith.

Left: Lacy Joiner, assistant business manager, helps Rob Ray, business manager of the 1953 SHIELD.

SHIELD

Since commencing work on the book last June, we have learned much through working with Mr. John Benson, III, Mr. Dan Eadie of the Benson Printing Company, Mr. W. P. Campbell of Southern Engravers, and Mr. Kenneth Wells of Wells Studio.

Each member of the staff has done an excellent job on their various assignments. Jim Roberts was doing outstanding photographic work until he had to resign early last semester; a number of Jim's photographs are in the introductory section as well as scattered throughout the annual. He was replaced by Bill Logan, who did a fine job during our big rush period.

Jean Malone and Lacy Joiner did good jobs of assisting Rob Ray and ye old editor throughout the year. The section editors, Mary Ann Brady, Glenda Fuller, and Bill Smith, also turned out excellent work. Other members of the staff who did equally well were Bill Pryor, Ben Hall, Mamie Bryan, Ann Whayne, Nancy Crisp, Jane Perry, Dan Shipley, Jo Ann Morris, and William McElrath.

Mr. Thomas Hogancamp (right) served as our sponsor again this year, and greatly aided the staff. We could not have made it if we had not had his timely advice.

As we said in the beginning, this is it—your picture story of a year's work, a year's activity, a year's athletics and a year's pleasure—a definite part of your treasured memories.



Other members of the SHIELD staff are (left to right) Ben Hall, feature writer; Mamie Bryan, typist; Ann Whayne, typist; Bill Logan, photographer; Jane Perry, freshman class editor; Dan Shipley, junior class editor; Bill Pryor, artist; William McElrath, feature writer; and Nancy Crisp, sophomore class editor. Jo Ann Morris, senior class editor, is not pictured.



The Murray State marching band is directed by Professor Richard Farrell. It is the main attraction at halftime ceremonies of the football games and at various parades.

MUSIC

Band And Vocal Groups Furnish Publicity

The music department organizations furnish a big part of Murray's publicity, because of it's "Best Band in Dixie," its vocal groups and the annual Campus Lights.

During the fall Doc Farrell's marching band adds much to the football season supplying entertainment at the half, and performing in the various parades such as the Homecoming parade. After cold weather sets in and football season is over, the band becomes a concert organization giving concerts in chapel and at special occasions. It also gives concerts in several off-campus tours. This is really a band to be given much praise.

The college orchestra under the direction of Pop Doyle furnishes the students a chance to perform their best in symphonic music. Two formal concerts are given yearly for the benefit and enjoyment of the students, and it also assists in other civic and school functions.



The string orchestra is under the direction of Professor D. J. Gowans. The group presents two formal concerts during the year.

A smaller instrumental group of the music department is the string orchestra. This was organized in order to give additional experience in string ensemble work. This group also presents two formal concerts during the year. The string orchestra is under the capable direction of D. J. Gowans.



The college orchestra (above) offers students an opportunity to perform symphonic music and is directed by Dr. Price Doyle.

MUSICIANS PROVIDE A VARIED MUSICAL PROGRAM



The band becomes a concert organization (top) during the second semester and gives concerts in chapel and for other occasions. The girls quartet (bottom) is composed of Vernie Croghan, Catherine Bolles, Anita Morgan, and Barbara Wiman.

The A Cappella choir is made up of students from all departments of the college and are selected on their singing ability and their willingness to work. This choir is well known in the surrounding territory because of its many tours to the high schools. The A Cappella choir also gives several chapel programs during the year including the annual one at Christmas time. Robert Baar directs the A Cappella choir as well as the boy's quartet and girl's quartet. These quartets are chosen according to the ability of the members to blend their voices. They present several programs in chapel and at the various high schools. The Madrigal group consists of the two quartets and performs in several musical programs during the year.

The music department has certainly worked hard in giving Murray students the best in music for their enjoyment. The music students give much of their time to prepare music to be given for the pleasure of the entire student body and should be congratulated for their excellent work.



Professor Robert Baar directs the A Capella Choir. The choir presents several programs during the year; the Christmas program is the most outstanding. Carl Sarten, Wayne Leazer, Paul Turley, and Lawrence Jones (inset) comprise the Men's quartet.



Our vision fades. The campus lights grow dim,
Our hands reach out to grasp and hold each scene,
That passes, never to return except
In fleeting dreams of cherished yesterdays.
Our days of laughs and sighs and tears are gone.
Guarded with jealous care through passing years
We keep a golden shrine of memory
Safe locked within a treasure-house of dreams.

—EDWARD K. WEST, *Gamma Delta*.

CAMPUS LIGHTS

16th Annual Show Presented in '53

Phi Mu Alpha and Sigma Alpha Iota staged the 16th annual production of "Campus Lights." The show featured a central theme which connected four acts; the setting of these acts was in four different places—Paris, New York City, the South Sea Islands, and the "wild" West.

"Campus Lights" was first presented in 1938 and has grown into one of the biggest events presented on the campus. Long hours of hard work and rehearsal go into the production of "Campus Lights," and under the direction of Bob Beltz the combined talents of some 150 people produced the 1953 show.

The show featured student arrangements of such songs as "I've Got Rhythm," "Similou," "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue," "Destination Moon," "The Boy Next Door," "Two Sleepy People," and original compositions "Looking For Benny" by Tom Ferguson and "Piano Concerto" by Mark Baczynsky.



Bob Beltz (above) directed the 1953 production of "Campus Lights." Bob is a senior music major from Harrisburg, Ill.

The panel at the left shows the dancing chorus, a scene from the "Isle of Ovoutee," and the orchestra and chorus.



The Murraymacs (above) were composed of Chris Dimas, Vernie Croghan, Paul Turley, Jackie Boswell, and Festus Robertson.

"Slaughter On Tenth Avenue," (left) one of the show's dance numbers was performed by Frank Brunotts and Ardath Boyd.

The forty-seven voice "Campus Lights" chorus (below) was featured in "I've Got Rhythm," "All The Things You Are," and "Bali Hai."



The setting is Paris—the boy and girl are Eyril Byassee and Betty Beltz (left) singing "Two Sleepy People."

DEBATE

MSC Debaters Start Season With 15 Members

One of the five top teams in the nation, as announced at last year's National Intercollegiate Debate Tournament, began the year with a varsity and junior varsity squad composed of fifteen members.

The varsity squad consists of: affirmative, Charles Lents and James Sholar; negative, Jerry Brown and Henry Ramey.

The junior varsity squad is composed of: affirmative, Douglas Stanley, Melvin Bennett, Angelee Martin, Lois Ann Penfield, Rebecca Johnson, Patsy Rose McElga, and Billy Harrell; Negative, Harold Stubblefield, Henry Gatlin, Eugene Jernigan and Charles Lents.

The varsity team participated in thirty-six scheduled debates. The junior varsity team presented twenty-two demonstration debates before Kentucky and Tennessee high schools.

Members of the debate team receiving Gold Star awards for outstanding achievement on the debate squad were: Charles Lents, Jerry Brown and Henry Ramey.

Members receiving letter awards were: Charles Lents, Jerry Brown, James Sholar, Henry Ramey, Harold Stubblefield, Douglas Stanley, Melvin Bennett, Angelee Martin, Lois Ann Penfield, Rebecca Johnson, Pat McElga, Henry Gatlin and Eugene Jernigan.

The debate squad is a member of Tau Kappa Alpha, a national honorary society for merit award debaters. Those who are now in the society are James Sholar and Henry Ramey; debaters now eligible for membership are Charles Lents and Jerry Brown.



Pictured below are the varsity debaters. Seated is the negative team consisting of Jerry Brown and Henry Ramey. Standing are Jim Sholar and Charles Lents, who compose the affirmative team.





Pictured above are the members of both the varsity and the junior varsity debate teams. They are (seated) John Garst, Harold Stubblefield, Angelee Martin, Rebecca Johnson, Lois Ann Penfield, Charles Lents, and Jim Sholar. Standing are Douglas Stanley, Gene Jernigan, Henry Ramey, Henry Gatlin, Billy Harrell, and Jerry Brown.

DEBATE SCHEDULE

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE.....	Cape Girardeau, Missouri
WESTERN KENTUCKY STATE.....	Bowling Green, Kentucky
MEMPHIS STATE	Memphis, Tennessee
SOUTHWESTERN	Memphis, Tennessee
LEMOYNE	Memphis, Tennessee
TENNESSEE POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE.....	Cookeville, Tennessee
DAVID LIPSCOMB COLLEGE.....	Nashville, Tennessee
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY.....	Carbondale, Illinois
UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.....	Columbia, Missouri
SOUTHERN SPEECH TOURNAMENT.....	Greenville, South Carolina
TAU KAPPA ALPHA NATIONAL CONFERENCE.....	Denver, Colorado

At the right is professor James Albert Tracy, the sponsor of the debate team and speech instructor.





D R A M A ~ ~ ~

"Claudia," "Hotel Universe" Presented by MSC Theatre

Two of the MSC Theatre's outstanding productions of the year were "Claudia," a three act play, and "Hotel Universe," which featured dramatics director W. J. Robertson in his first MSC play.

"Claudia" portrays a girl who has an attachment to her mother which prevents her from acting as an adult. Joan Kirkland, Bill Wiles, Vicki Thomis, and Mrs. Lillian Lowry (above) had the leading parts in the play. Other members of the cast included Tom Russell, Betty Leyerle, Jean Heath, and Chris Dimas.

The setting of "Hotel Universe" was Stephan Field's





In addition to these plays the dramatics group brought the Barter Theater's production of "Merchant of Venice" by William Shakespeare to the Murray stage. Woodrow Romoff and Patricia O'Connell were starred in the Barter group's presentation. Two scenes from this play are shown in pictures (above and right) on this page.

home in southern France where the action of one evening affects the life of an assorted group of characters vacationing on the Riviera. A dramatic incident from the play involving Tom Russell, Tom Fortino, Leon Bennett, and Helen McPherson is pictured on the preceding page.



Another scene from "Hotel Universe" (above) finds Stephan Field, played by W. J. Robertson, addressing visitors at his home in France. Members of the cast were Robertson, Vicki Thomis, as Ann Field; Tom Russell, a publisher; Betty Leyerle, as the publisher's wife; Joan Douglass, an American actress; Leon Bennett, a financier; Helen McPherson, as Alice Kendall; Bob Bell, as the butler; and Tom Fortino, as Pat Farley.

Vicki Thomis, who played Field's daughter, and Tom Fortino, a rich young vacationer, are shown (below) in a scene from "Hotel Universe."





DANCES

Music and Mothballs, Relaxation and Gardenias

Dances, so much a part of every college social program, have an important place here. And that place is usually the Fine Arts lounge. Here, amid new formals and gardenias, crepe paper, and suits just out of mothballs, Murrayans gathered to dance to the music of Jimmy Dorsey, Jack Staulcup, Tom Lonardo, and the Men of Note.

The Jimmy Dorsey dance, the dances after the football games, the Mistletoe Ball, the Presentation Ball, the Valentine dance, the Ordway Christmas dance, the first Military Ball and the Masquerade Ball gave students and faculty a respite from the world of books and exams.



The Department of Military Science and Tactics brought along something new for the social calendar with the Military Ball (top). Cadets in their smart khaki uniforms and their dates frocked-out in all that was fashionable set the stage for an evening of colorful entertainment. Other pictures which appear on this page were taken at the Jimmy Dorsey dance.





The campus' old reliable, "Sadie Hawkin's Day Dance" was again the scene of bashful beaus being dragged off to the altar by their dates to parley a word or so with Marryin' Sam, who in this case turned out to be Mrs. Marryin' Sam.

The name band policy of the student organization, which was cast out the window last year in favor of something more economical, suffered rebirth to the soothing melodies of Jimmy Dorsey and his orchestra (above and lower right).







FEATURES



Miss

MURRAY STATE

Sara Lester Was Selected By Students As Miss MSC

Sara Lester, a senior from Cadiz, Kentucky, was chosen Miss Murray State by popular vote in Chapel on November 19, 1952. She was presented a bouquet of roses by Billie Jean "Tony" Thompson, Miss Murray State of 1951, in a traditional halftime ceremony at the Murray-Western football game. Nine Campus Favorites were chosen at the same time as Miss MSC.

Miss Murray State of 1952 is an elementary education major and a member of the Association for Childhood Education. Miss Lester was selected as a Campus Favorite last year and was selected to appear in "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" in 1952. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, honorary education fraternity. She served as Organizations Editor on the 1952 SHIELD staff.





MISS SARA LESTER

Sybil Clark was a Campus Favorite last year, and was chosen junior-senior prom queen in 1952. She is a member of the Home Economics club and of Sigma Sigma Sigma.



Campus

FAVORITES

Nine Favorites Were Selected By Vote Of MSC Student Body

Campus Favorites were chosen at the same time as Miss Murray State and were also presented at the halftime ceremony of the Murray-Western football game. Seniors who were chosen as Campus Favorites were Diana Wales, a physical education major from Paducah, Sybil Clark, a home economics major from Union City, Tenn., and June Priest, an English major from Paducah.

Five who were selected as Campus Favorites are juniors and include Betty Clymer, a social science major from Mayfield, Phyllis Harris, a physical education major from Paducah, Barbara Ward, a home economics major from Murray, Yvonne Hodge, an elementary education major from Louisville, and Mary Beth Franklin, a home economics major from Providence. One sophomore, Lillian Smith, a pre-lab-technician student from Brownsville, Tenn., was chosen.

June Priest is editor of the *College News* and is listed in "Who's Who Among Students" this year for the second year. She is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma and Kappa Delta Pi.





Yvonne Hodge (above), football queen of 1951-52, is a member of ACE. She was selected as the Ideal Freshman Girl in 1950 and is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma. Diana Wales (above right) was a Campus Favorite last year. She is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma and has been a cheerleader for three years. Betty Clymer (below) is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha and has been a cheerleader for two years. She is secretary of the Student Organization. Barbara Ward (below right) is a member of the Home Economics club and was selected as a football queen attendant last year.



Campus

FAVORITES



Phyllis Harris (above) is a member of the Student Council, a member of WAA, and a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma. She appeared in "Who's Who Among Students" this year.

Lillian Smith (left) is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha. She was elected Sweetheart of Tau Sigma Tau this year and was selected Ideal Freshman of 1951.

Mary Beth Franklin (below) is a member of the Home Economics club. She was named Sweetheart of Delta Alpha fraternity in 1951.





I D E A L F R E S H M A N G I R L

Jean Ann Moore Was

Chosen Ideal Frosh

Jean Ann Moore, from Kevil, Ky., was chosen, "Ideal Freshman Girl" of 1952 and was presented at the annual Wells Hall Christmas party. Selected as their "Ideal" by the freshman girls living in the dormitory, Miss Moore was presented the traditional Christmas candle at the presentation ceremony. Her selection as the Ideal Freshman by her classmates and the Wells Hall council was based on popularity, attitudes, scholarship in high school and college, leadership and personal character.



The Murray State College band, "The Best Band in Dixie," leads the 1952 Homecoming parade down main street through the business district of Murray.

1952 HOMECOMING

Clear Weather And Barbecue, Victory And A Dance

The 1952 Homecoming probably won't be remembered for the Thoroughbred's victory over Evansville . . . they have won victories before. The occasion probably won't be remembered for the big parade in the afternoon, or the Vivace club breakfast, or the barbecue or the Homecoming dance after the game . . . all these things have happened before, too. But this year, for the first time since anyone in the student body could remember, it *didn't* rain. Sure enough when the day arrived the weather was clear and stayed that way. People who had come to associate a wet parade and a wet football game with Homecoming were pleasantly disappointed.

From the first bite of toast at the annual Vivace Club breakfast until the last note of the "Men of Note" at the Homecoming dance it was a day to remember.



Nostalgic scenes and days of old were recalled by former Murray'ans, as they took time out from the days festivities to have coffee in the Home Economic department's lounge.

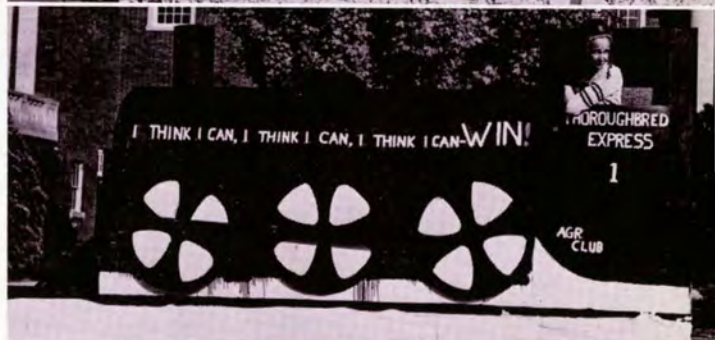




The football queen, flanked by her attendants, (above) prepare to lead the Homecoming parade. At right are three of the prize winning floats, the Industrial Art club's, "The Old Gray Mare"; Alpha Sigma Alpha's, "Kick to Victory"; and the Agriculture club's, "Thoroughbred Express."

Chef C. W. Kemper and his fellow gourmets, Dr. M. G. Garman and Dr. C. S. Lowry, make preparations for the annual "old-fashioned" barbecue, one of the biggest events of Homecoming.

Baseball coach Carlisle Cutchin (right) reminisces over the "good old days" with several Murray graduates.





Football

QUEEN

Roses and a Convertible, A Crown and Examples

The clear weather of Homecoming Day seemed made to order for reflecting the striking Football Queen and her attendants. Heading the big parade in the afternoon, Queen Carol Fish and attendants Gloria and Mary Ann Stice, were three examples of what made "The South's Most Beautiful Campus" that way.

Queen Carol, who calls Paris, Tennessee, home, received the regal crown of her office at halftime during the Murray State-Evansville College game. The queens attendants, who prove that Paducah can produce something besides A-bombs and vice-presidents, rounded out the royal company.

RIGHT: Queen Carol Fish, who plans to be an elementary teacher, taught the Homecoming visitors that Murray owes its beautiful campus to something other than the trees and flowers.

BELOW: Queen's attendant Gloria Stice—picked earlier to reign over the Cotton Carnival at Blytheville, Arkansas—the cotton picking boys and the Thoroughbreds saw eye to eye on this choice.

LEFT: Queen's attendant Mary Ann Stice, a southern gal with drawl and all, who also appears in the majorette line in front of MSC's marching band.







B O D Y B E A U T I F U L

Muscles and Trophies Curves and Applause

The annual Water Carnival, presented by the Physical Education Club and the "M" Club, produces splashes, precision swimming, and comedy. But the event's largest drawing card is the "Body Beautiful" contest in which a board of judges picks the "Mr." and "Miss" they believe show the most perfect physical development.

Their job is not an enviable one since the contestants are usually outstanding examples of physical development.

The 1952 contest was no exception to rule: A tough selection and two outstanding winners. Jean Malone, drum major for the Murray State marching band, was selected "Miss Body Beautiful" and Harold "Buddy" Gaines, Thoroughbred fullback took the "Mr. Body Beautiful" award.

Jean, a junior art major from Starkville, Mississippi, has completed her second year in front of the marching band and is assistant editor of the 1953 SHIELD.

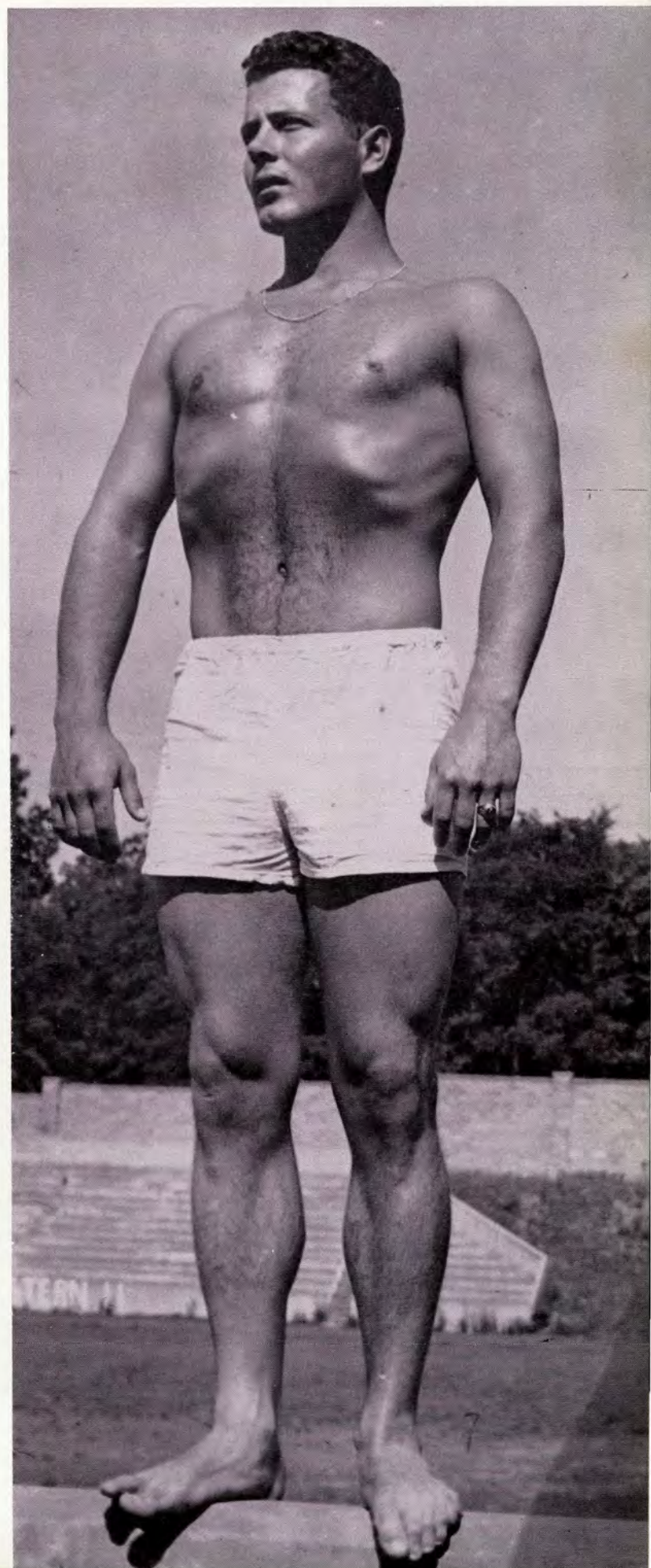
"Buddy," a product of Old Hickory, Tennessee, is a senior physical education and commerce major.



ABOVE: Malone and Gaines display the trophies and bodies that made them "Mr. and Miss Body Beautiful."

RIGHT: Clothes may make the man but it's nice to have something to hang them on. "Buddy" Gaines, who sometimes wears clothes, has plenty to hang them on.

LEFT: Despite the stories about girls in bathing suits, Jean Malone can swim and has an instructor's badge from the Red Cross to prove it.



WHO'S WHO

Among Students In American Colleges And Universities

Eighteen Murray Students, 3 juniors and 15 seniors, were accepted by the "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" for inclusion in its 1952 publication.

The nominees will be listed in the 1952 publication with a biographical sketch. They will also receive a certificate of recognition awarded by the organization.

Selections for the honor are based on leadership, scholarship, personality, and activity participation on the campus. The nominees were chosen by the same method used in last years selection.

A committee of six faculty members chose the first four nominees unanimously. These four nominees and three of the faculty group formed a committee to select the remaining 14 candidates.

William McElrath, senior from Murray, is an English major. Bill Wiles, who was listed in "Who's Who" last year is a history major from Owensboro.

Robert (Bob) Beltz, a music education major from Harrisburg, Ill., was director of the 1953 Campus Lights production. Jean Veal, from Lebanon, Tenn., is a history and math major. Jackie Gardner, elementary education major from Jeffersonville, Indiana, was president of Wells Hall Council.

June Priest, an English major from Paducah is listed in Who's Who for the second time. Barbara Brown, home economics major from Paducah, is president of Sigma Sigma Sigma. Wendell Rorie, president of the Student Council, is a history major and a pre-law student from Hopkinsville.

Maunone Chenoweth, an elementary education major, from Paris, Tenn., is listed in Who's Who for the second time. Charles Rob Ray, a commerce major from Murray, is Business Manager of the 1953 SHIELD. Karl Hussung, is a math major from Louisville.

Ina Ruth McElwain, from Owensboro, who is getting an area in commerce, is secretary of the Commerce Club. Gene Bramlett is an agriculture major from Shelbyville. Phyllis Harris is a physical education major from Paducah.

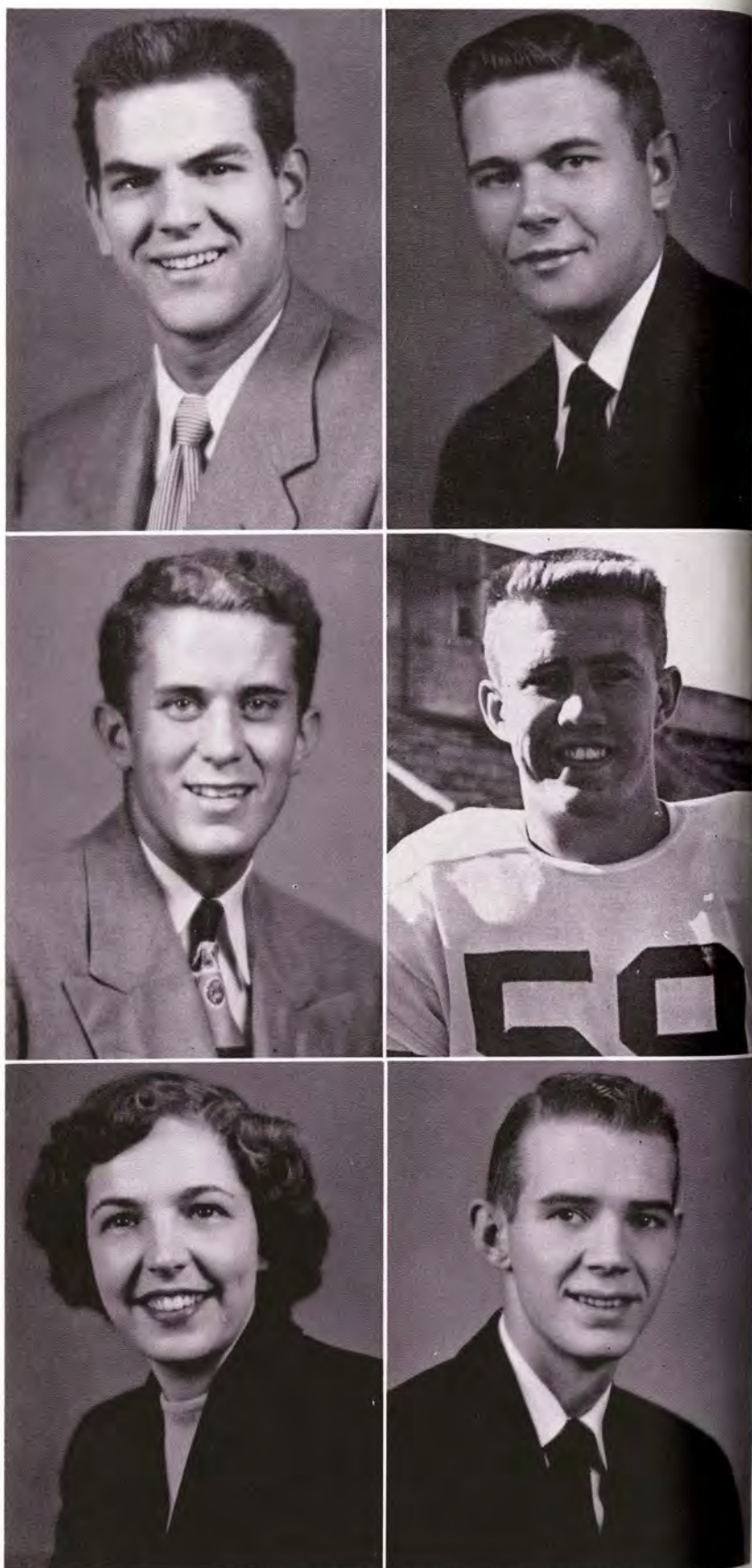
John Oldham, an art major from Elkton, is editor of the 1953 SHIELD. Jim Syers, commerce major from Sturgis, is vice-president of Delta Alpha.

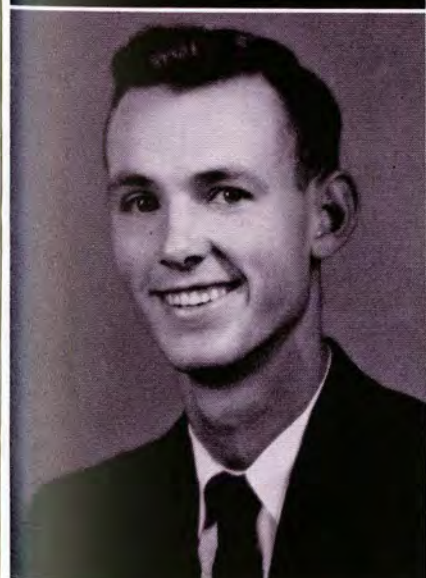
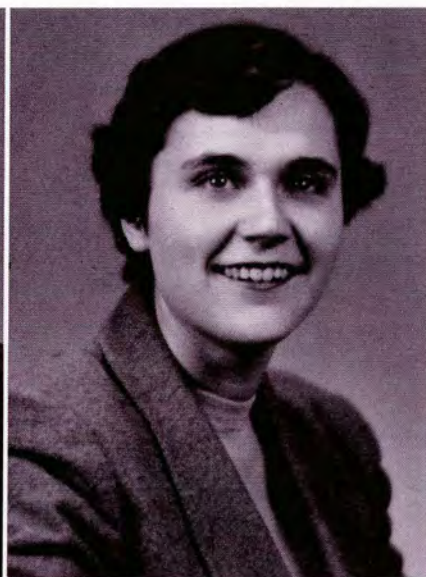
Sara Lester, an elementary education major from Cadiz, was selected as Miss MSC for 1952. Ray Lafser, a pre-med student from St. Louis, Mo., is a quarterback for the Murray Thoroughbreds.

FIRST ROW: Bob Beltz, Gene Bramlett, Barbara Brown, Manoune Chenoweth, Jackie Gardner and Phyllis Harris.

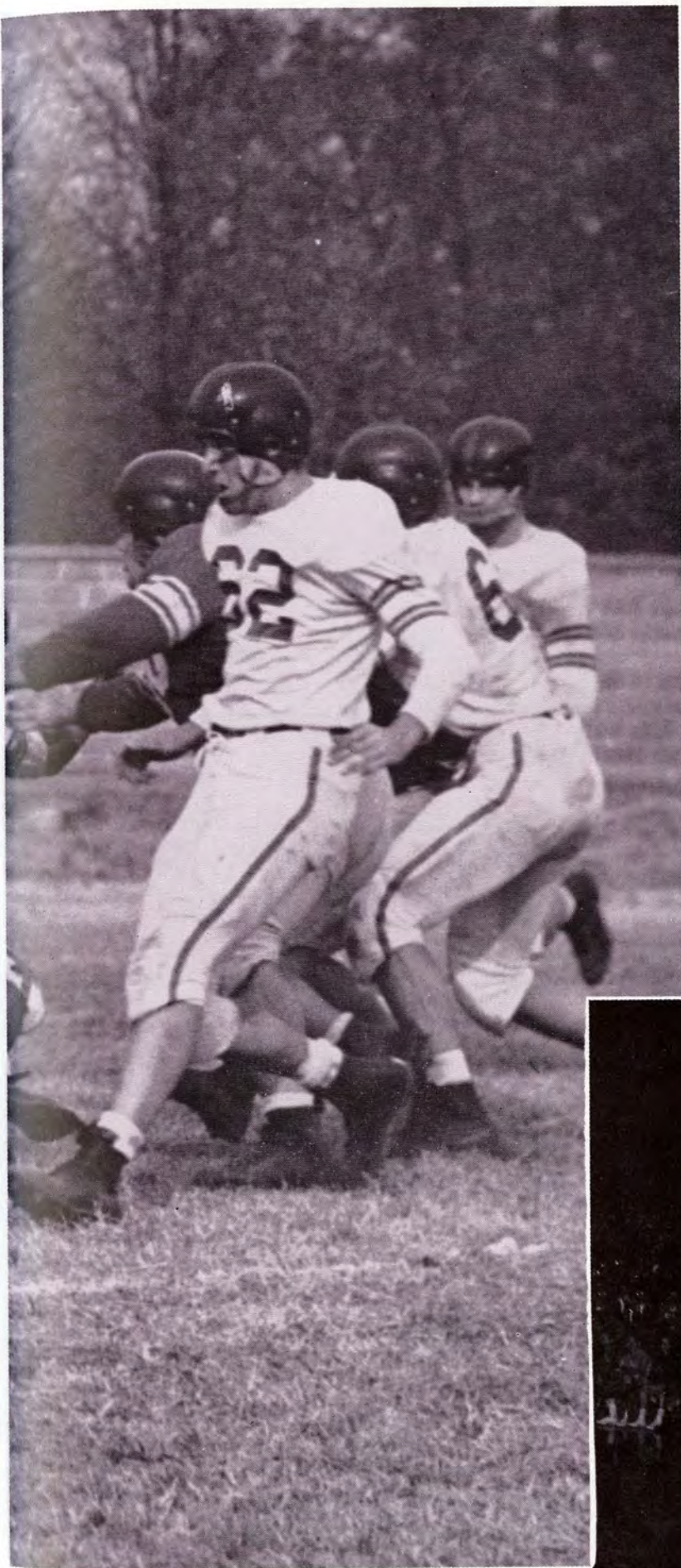
SECOND ROW: Karl Hussung, Ray Lafser, Sara Lester, William McElrath, Ina Ruth McElwain and Johnny Oldham.

THIRD ROW: June Allen Priest, Rob Ray, Wendell Rorie, Jim Syers, Jean Leeth Veal, and Bill Wiles.

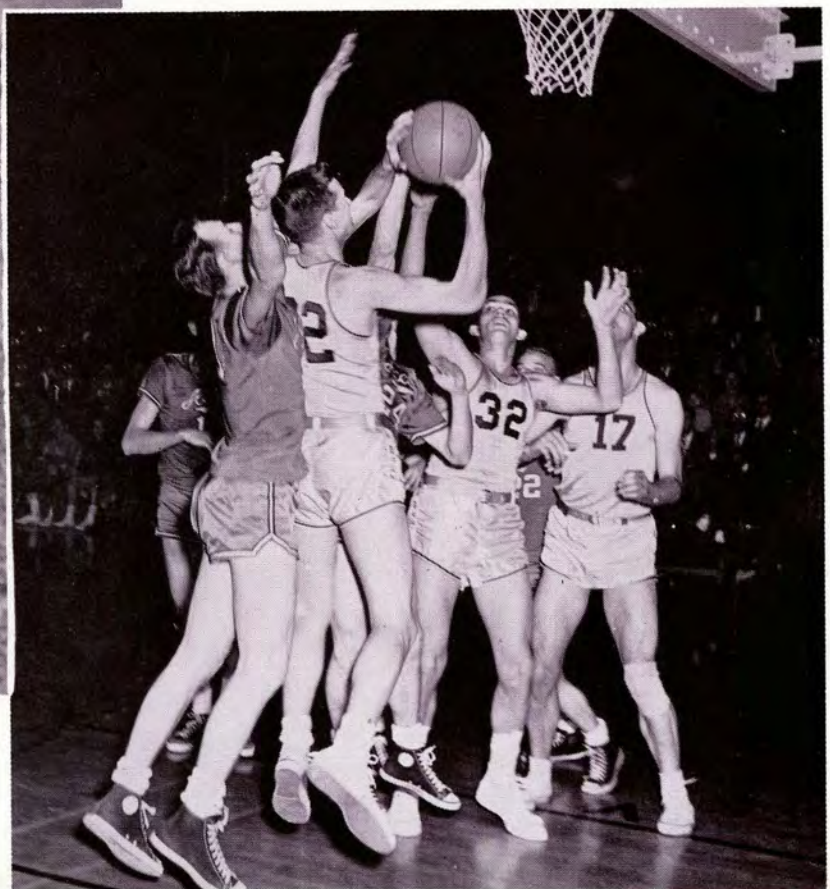








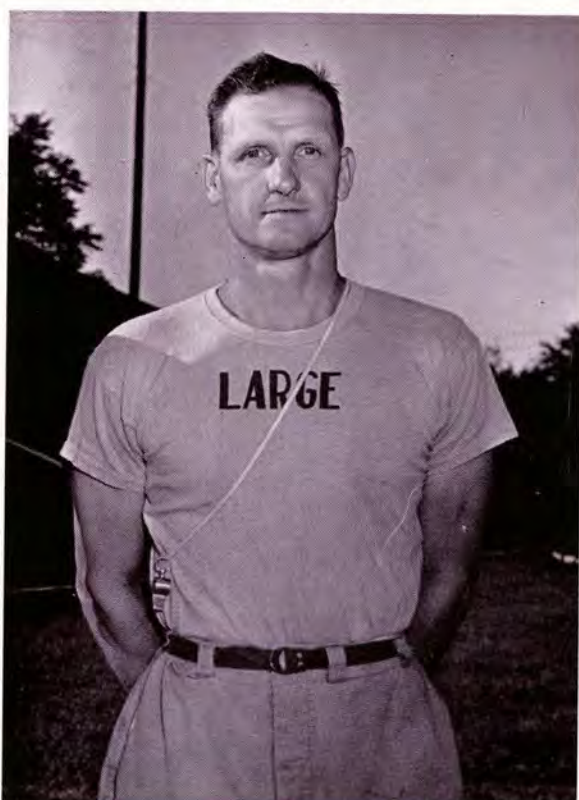
ATHLETICS





The Big Blue line breaks through to stop a Morehead ball carrier behind the line of scrimmage.

Coach Fred Faurot (below) completed his fifth season at the helm of the Murray State grid team.



FOOTBALL

Loss To Hilltoppers In Final Game Costs Breds Share in OVC Title

Only a pass in the closing seconds of the final game of the season kept the Murray State Thoroughbreds from winning their third straight OVC title. For this one pass snatched a victory from the hands of the Racers that would have put them into a tie for the crown with Tennessee Tech.

As it was, the Thoroughbreds wound up in second place with a record of three wins and two losses in conference play and an overall mark of four and four for the season.

The outlook for the 1952 season was very uncertain when the Thoroughbreds reported to Coach Fred Faurot in early September. Graduation had taken the entire start-

ing line and three of the backfield from the 1951 championship team, leaving only the '51 reserves and a crop of untried freshmen to fill the gaps.

Murray Edged By TPI In Opener

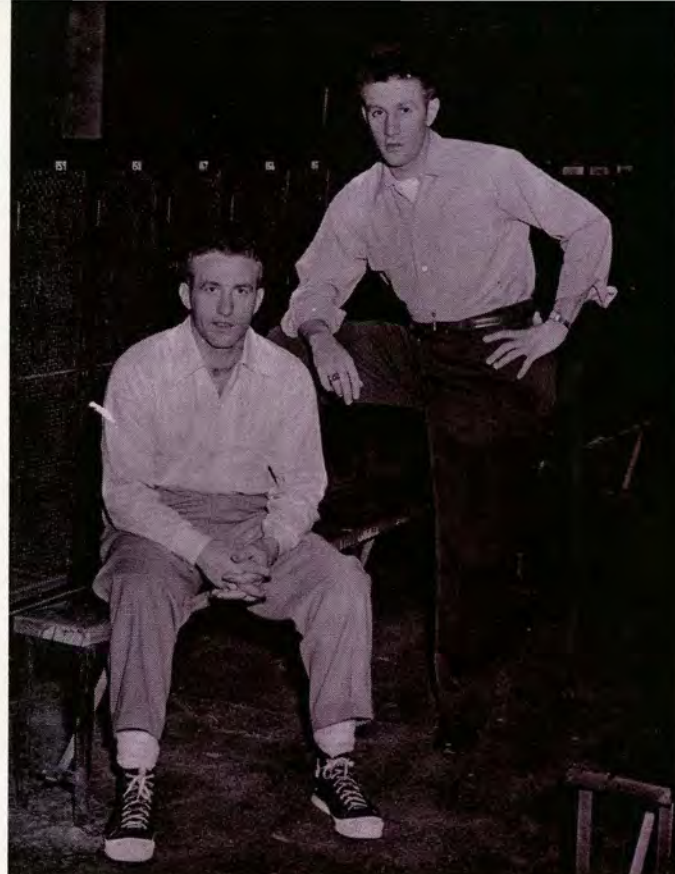
But by the time the first game rolled around Faurot had molded these boys into another great team which fought right down to the wire in true Thoroughbred fashion.

The 'Breds opened defense of their OVC title against Tennessee Tech in Cutchin Stadium. A second half drive fell shy as the Racers dropped a 14-13 decision to the Golden Eagles. A bad pass from center on the try for the extra point cost the Big Blue a chance for a tie and gave Tech its first win over Murray since 1942.

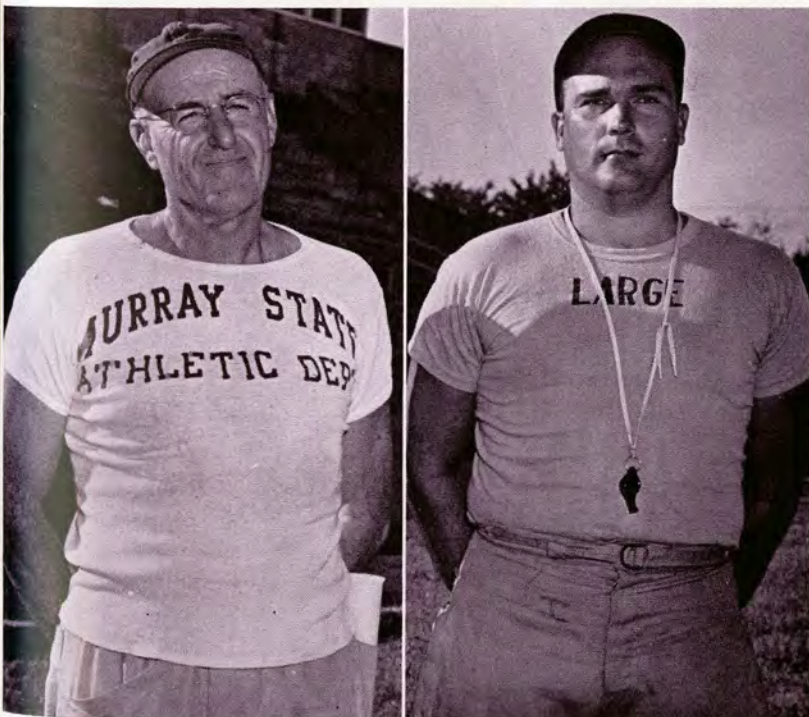
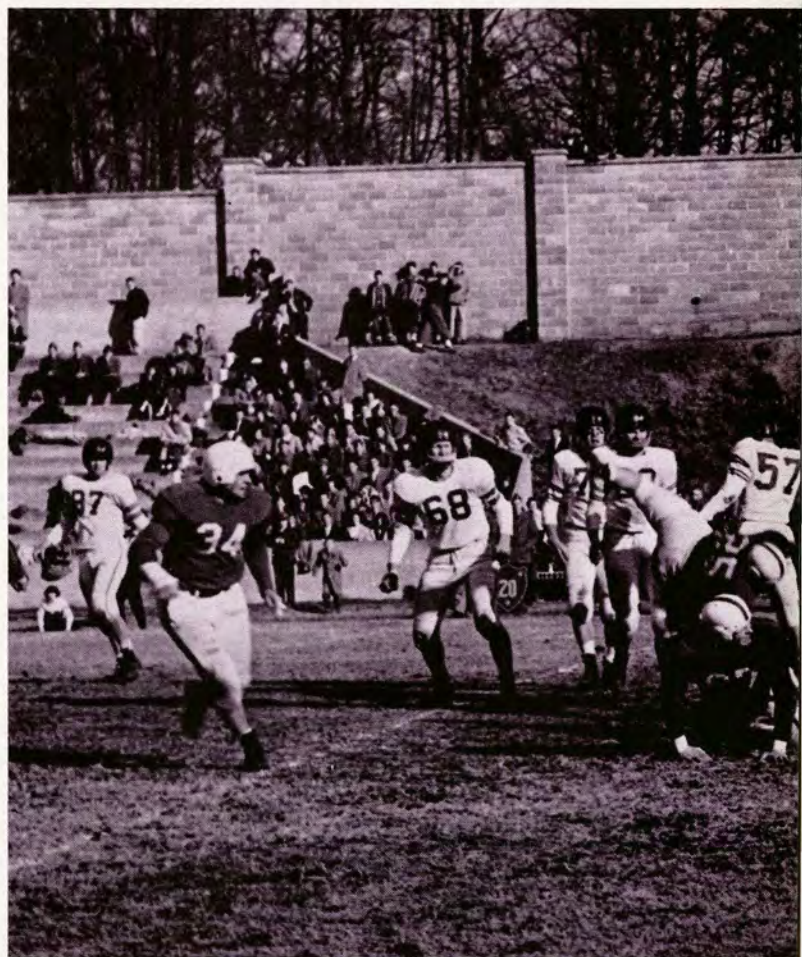
A last minute decision by Faurot, putting Ray Lafser in the starting lineup, was chiefly responsible for the 'Breds victory over Eastern the following week. The junior quarterback passed for the only touchdown of the game as the Racers edged the Maroons 10-0 at Richmond. Bernie Behrendt added the extra point and booted a field goal to round out Murray's scoring.

Still on the road, the Hosses next encountered Memphis State, which had beaten the Faurotmens in their last two meetings. This year was no exception as the Tigers clawed their way to a 34-7 win over the outmanned Racers. Murray was never in the ball game after the Tigers scored twice early in the second quarter.

Roy Stewart, athletic director and backfield coach, and Owen Hale, line coach, (below) helped Coach Faurot mold the 1952 team.

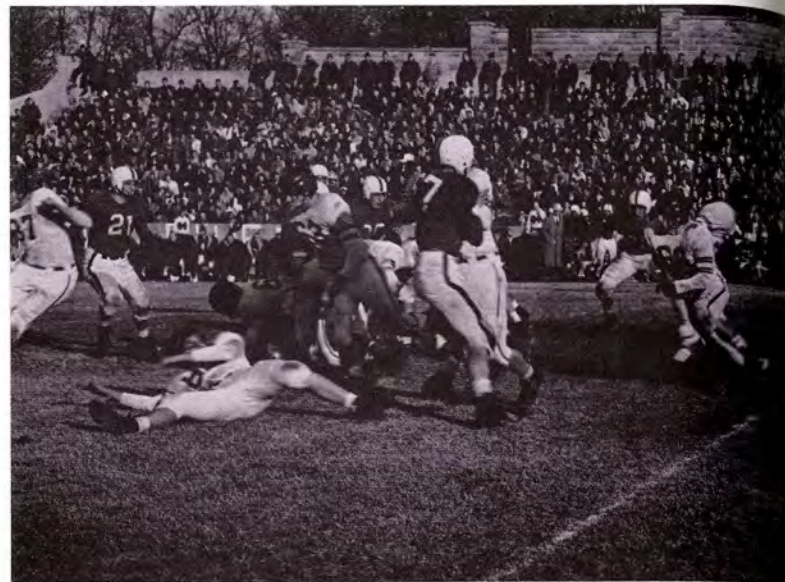


Two very important members of the football team are shown above. They are Sherman Childs, trainer (seated), and Jim Coleman, manager.





In the two pictures above, Behrendt is shown carrying the ball in the Western game, which the Thoroughbreds lost 12-7 in the closing seconds of the contest.



Playing Middle Tennessee the following week, the 'Breds took advantage of the Blue Raiders' miscues to grab a 20-13 win. A bad punt and a fumble set up the

Breds Victorious In Homecoming Tilt

Then came the traditional Homecoming game, which for the first time in four years was played under clear skies. The Racehorses found the dry track to their liking as they fought from behind in the last half to take a 14-10 victory over the Evansville Aces. Lafser's passing and some hard running by Hal Killebrew sparked the Racers in their drive to overcome the early Evansville lead.

The next week at Cleveland, Mississippi, Murray ran into trouble in what was scheduled to be a "breather." Coach Faurot's club had a big statistical edge in the bruising battle—but Delta State led in the scoring column 33-19. A fourth down pass with the ball deep in their territory backfired on the Racers and turned the tide in favor of the Statesmen.

Morehead, with its great passer Charlie Porter, was the next opponent in the annual High School Day game. Murray cashed in on two Eagle miscues early in the first period to start them on their way to victory. The Hosses broke the game wide open in the third quarter by racing to four quick touchdowns, three of them by freshman half-back Carl Walker who was playing in his first college game.

Murray Massacres Morehead

When the smoke of battle cleared, Murray was on top by 48-0, the most onesided score in the long rivalry between the two sister schools.

Behrendt (below) on a pitchout from Lafser starts to sweep the right side of the line.

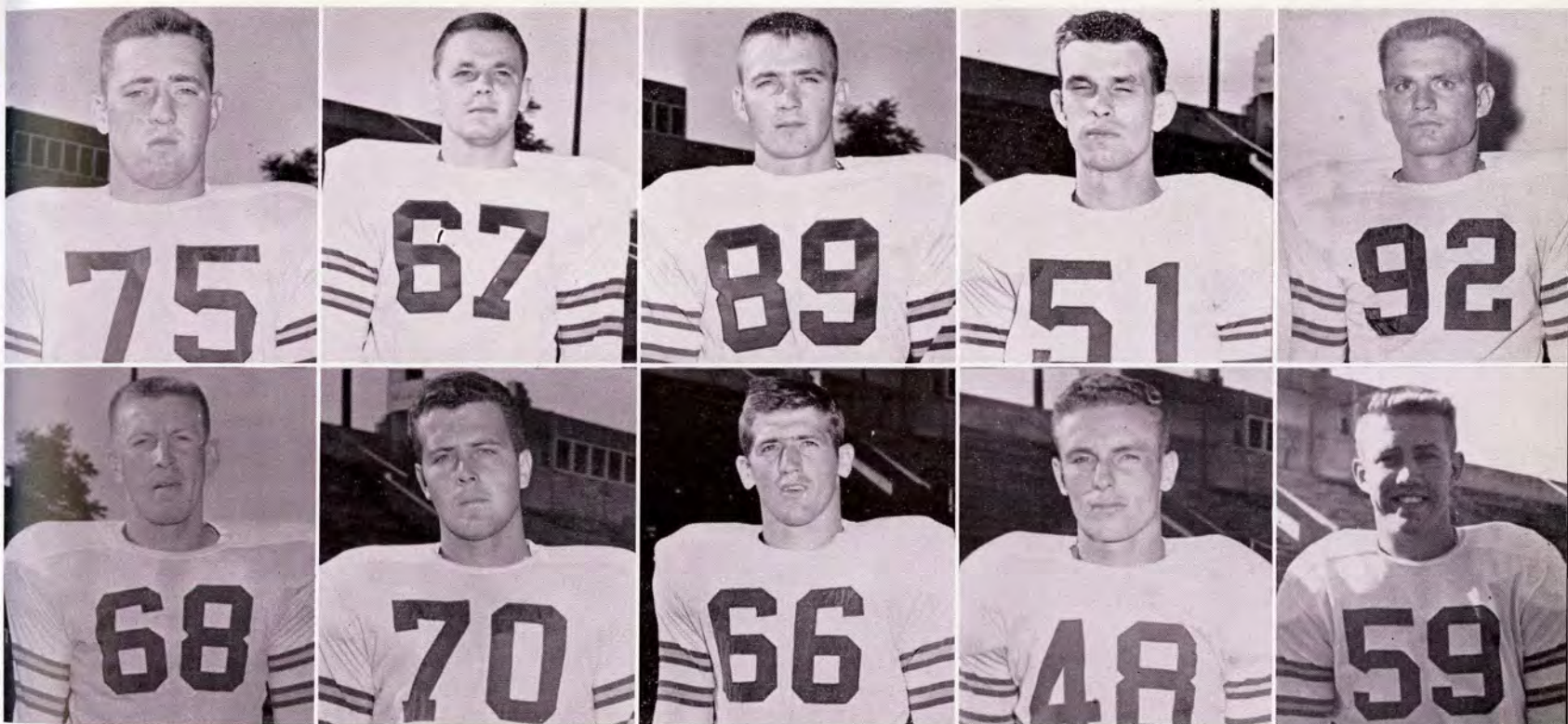
Ken Hodge (bottom) is stopped after a short gain in the opening game of the season which saw the Racers drop a 14-13 decision to Tennessee Tech.



first two Murray scores and John Bohna scored the other touchdown on a 62-yard punt return.

Finally came the annual battle with their arch rivals, Western. The Racers and the Holltoppers were deadlocked for second place in the OVC standings as they went into the 19th renewal of their series, and the winner would share the 1952 title with Tennessee Tech. With this as the stake the two teams battled through what has been called "one of the most exciting games ever played in Cutchin Stadium."

Ken Hodge goes 20-yards for a touchdown as the Breds tripped Middle Tennessee. Behrendt and Jay Witt get set to clear the Raiders' safety-man out of the way.



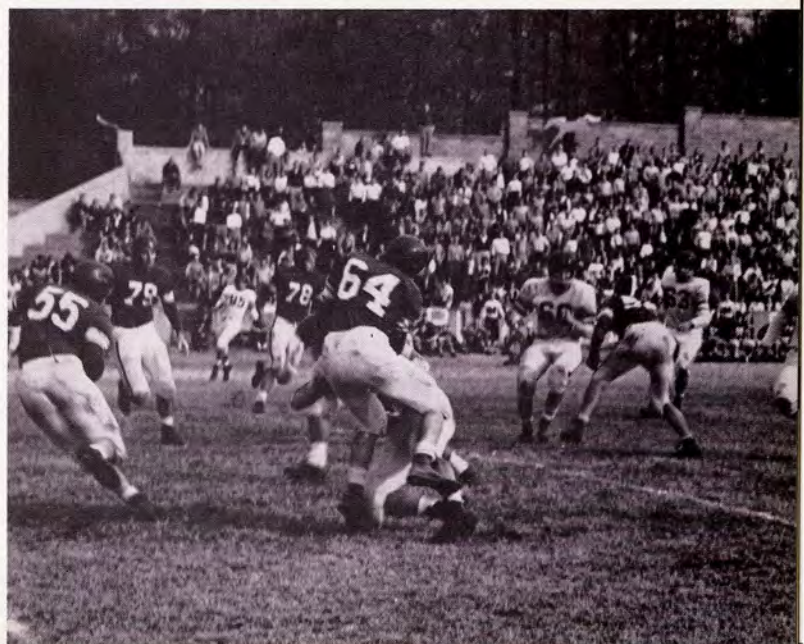
The 1952 lettermen shown above are: (top row, left to right) John Roberts, Bob Byars, Mac Catlett, Eli Alexander, Gene Mueller, (bottom row, left to right) Elmer Schweiss, Harold Gaines, Bernie Behrendt, John Bohna, Ray Lafser.

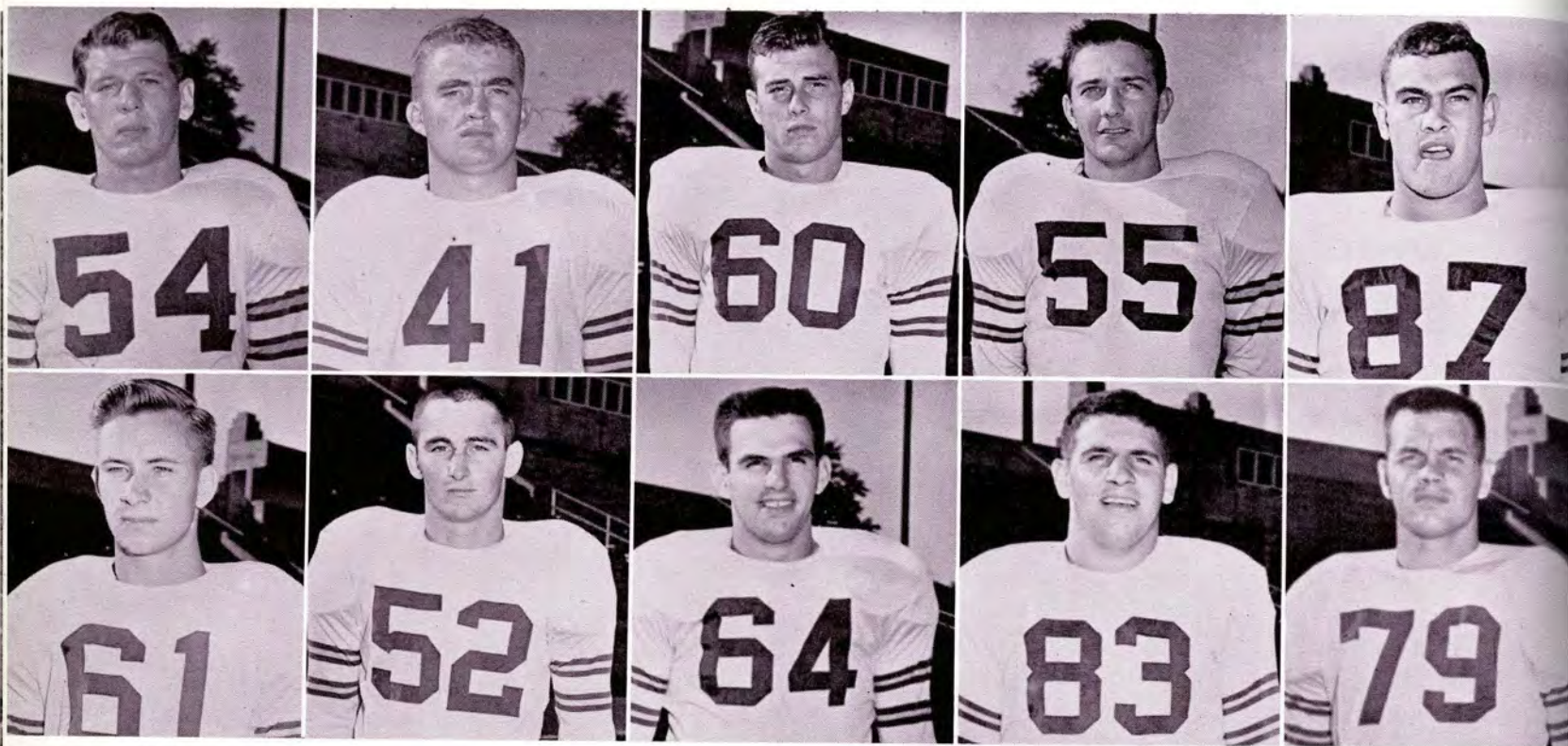
After trailing through most of the last half, the Thoroughbreds fought from behind in the closing minutes to take the lead, 7-6. Only three minutes remained to be played when the 'Breds went ahead and it looked like a sure win for the Racehorses.

But then lightning struck. Western's fabulous passer Jimmy Feix uncorked a 60-yard pass that carried all the way to Murray's one yard line, and set up the winning touchdown as the Hilltoppers won 12-7.

The loss left the Thoroughbreds in second place with a 3-2 loop record, behind the co-champions Tennessee Tech and Western who compiled 4-1 marks in conference games.

Catlett and a Morehead defender battle for possession of a pass thrown by Lafser.





Lettermen shown on the top row are Jay Witt, Glin Jeffrey, Bob Cloar, Ken Hodge, Jim McDermott. Hal Killebrew, Jack Cain, Donald Harvey, Roger Estes, and Jack Thorne are the lettermen shown on the bottom row.



Glin Jeffrey (above) gets set to punt the Breds out of a hole in the Western game. His booming punts kept the Racers out of trouble throughout the contest.

Faurot Ends Fifth Season At Murray

This game also wound up Coach Fred Faurot's fifth season as head coach of the Thoroughbreds. Since coming to Murray in 1948, Faurot has guided the Racers to three OVC titles.

His first year at the helm was an outstanding success as his team won nine and lost one and then went on to

Ray Lafser was being chased by a Hilltopper lineman but still got his pass away which was completed to Alexander.



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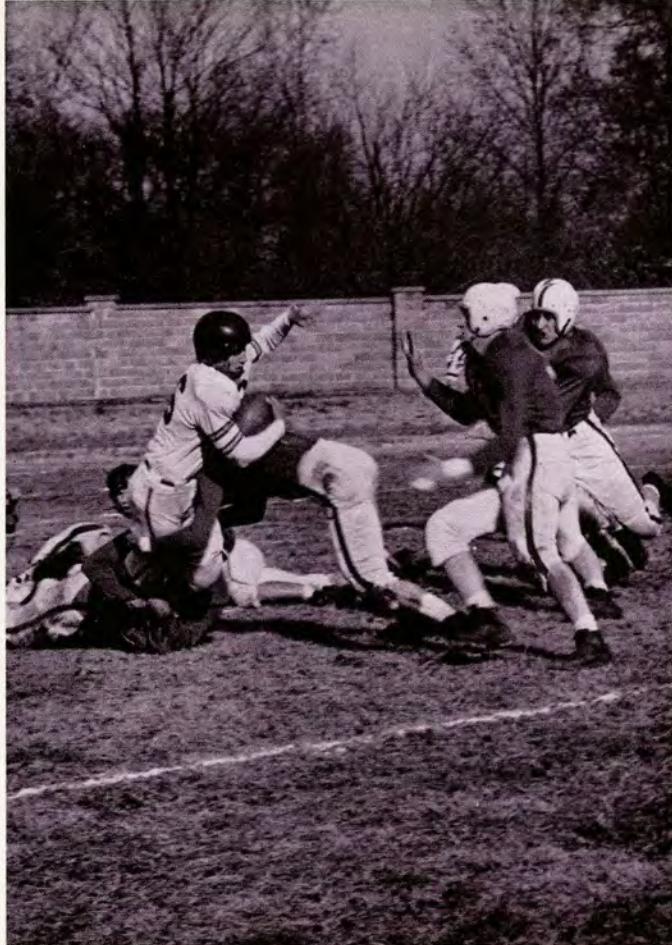
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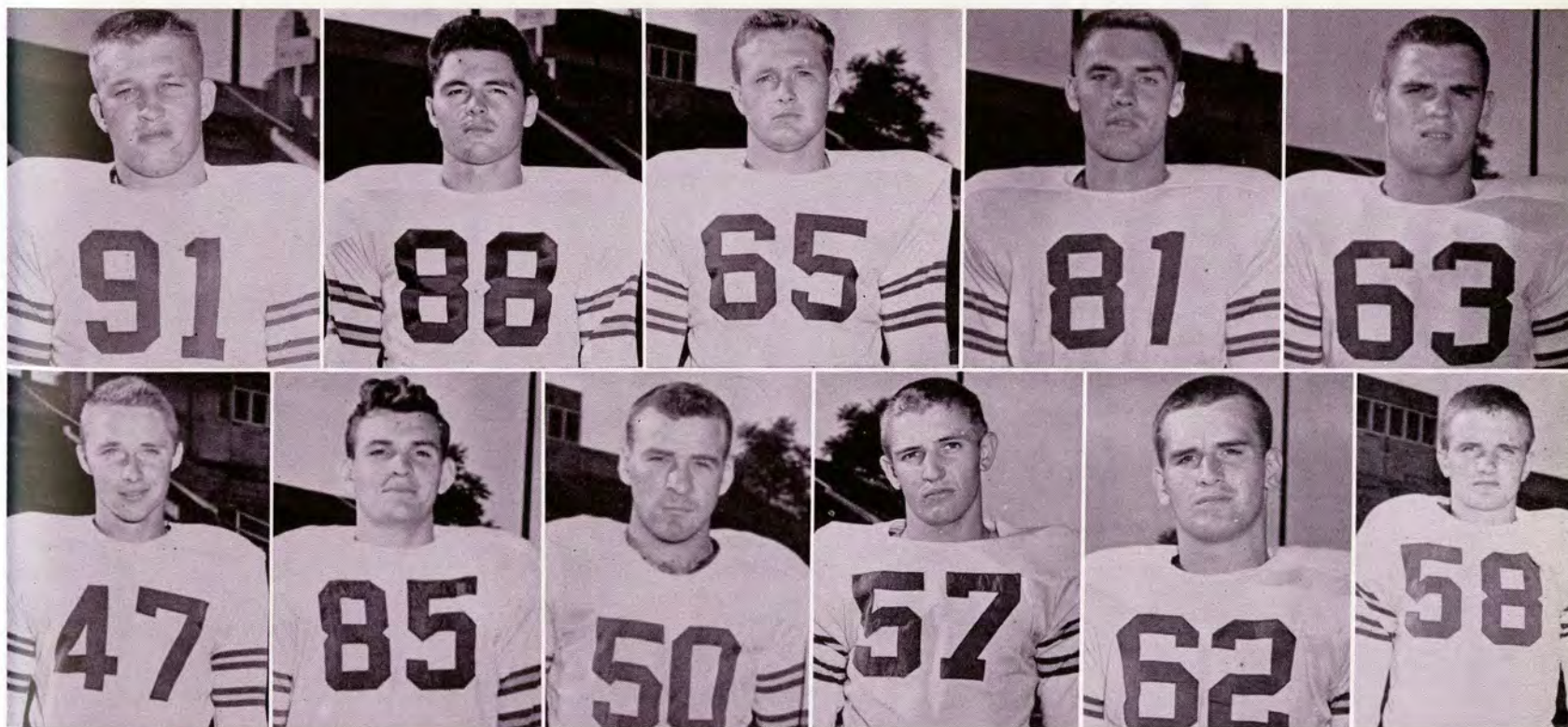
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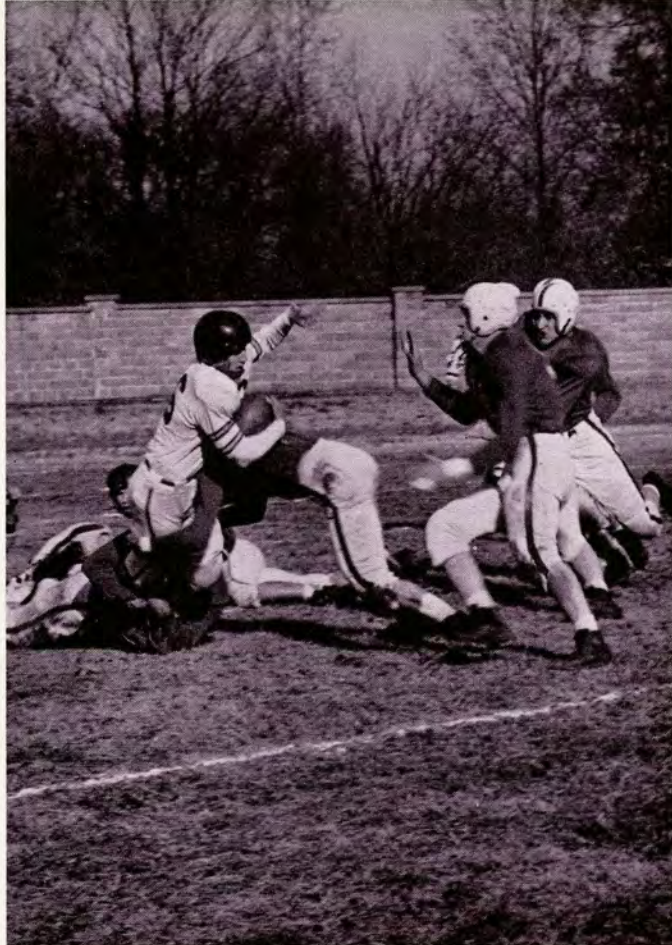
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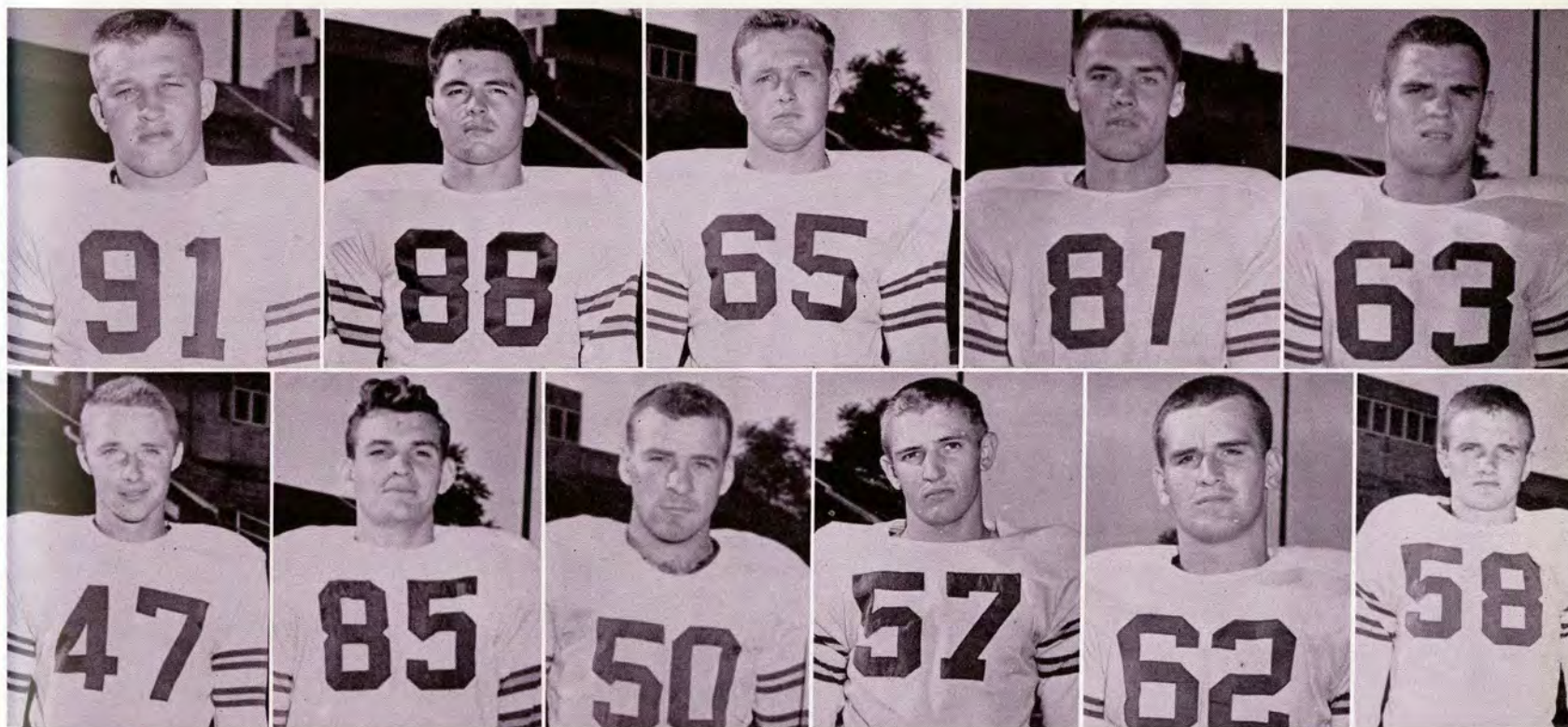
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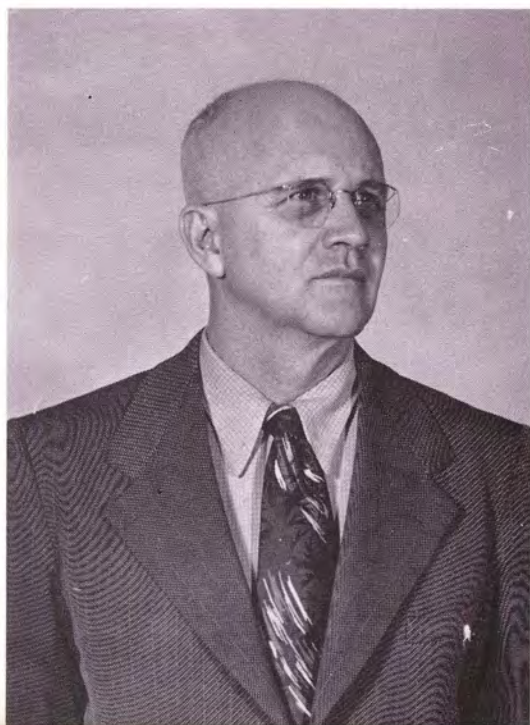
Thoroughbred Basketball Squad Completes Season With 18-9 Record

The 1952-53 season was supposed to have been a season of rebuilding for Coach Harlan Hodges (pictured at the left) and the Murray State Thoroughbreds, but you couldn't have told it by looking at the won-lost record they compiled during the year.

Coach Hodges said before the start of the season that he would be happy if his boys could win half of their games. But the Thoroughbreds surprised him and many others by completing a tough regular-season card with a record of 17-8, and then advancing to the semi-finals of the OVC tournament before falling to Eastern.

The entire season record for Harlan Hodges' crew was 18-9—not bad, as a glance at the caliber of Murray's opponents will prove. The team also scored 2,009 points for a game average of 74.4; an all-time high.

The record is even more amazing when you consider that Hodges' had only three lettermen left from the previous season, and only one of these, Garrett Beshear, had been a regular the year before. But Hodges





"Doodles" Floyd reaches over an Evansville player (above) to tip in a rebound. Leo Unnerstall goes to the floor with a Tennessee Tech player as they fight for possession of a loose ball (right). Barney Thweatt is going to Leo's aid while Beshear and Koenigsmark look on.

took these three boys, and along with freshmen and transfer students, molded them into another great team.

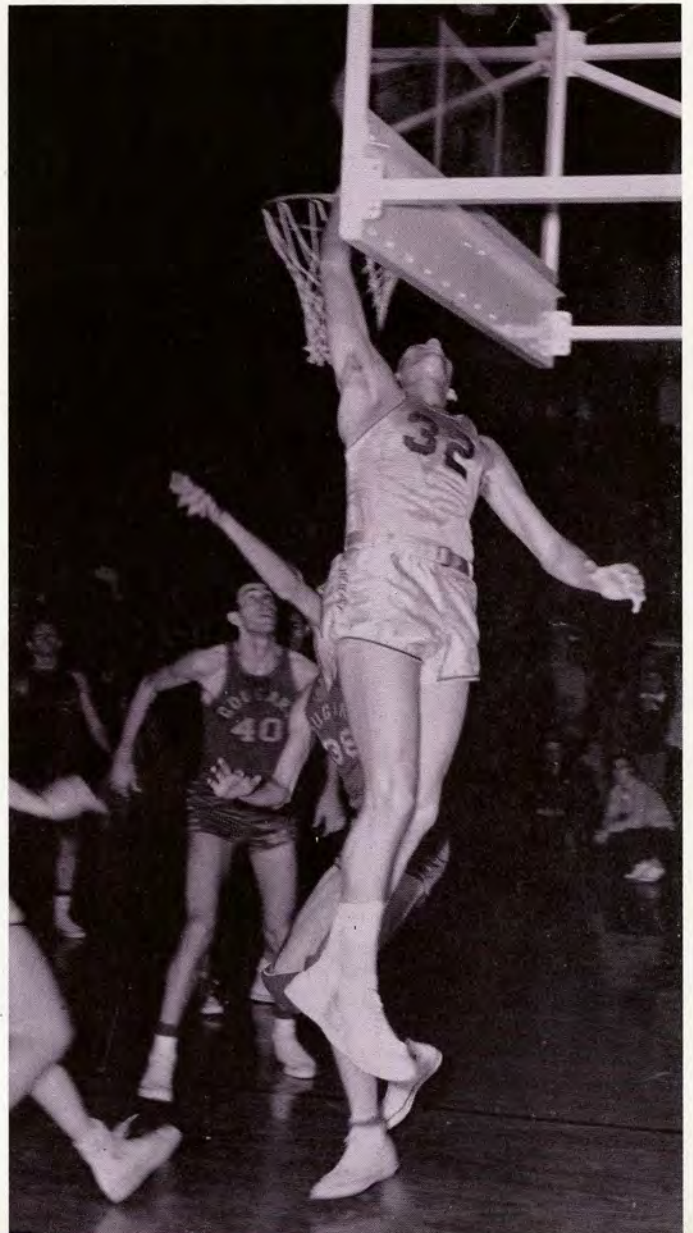
Perhaps the most outstanding feature of the season was the sensational play of Garrett Beshear, the 30 year old senior from Dawson Springs. The slender pivot man had been an



asset to the team in previous years but nothing to compare to his 1952-53 achievements. Not only was Beshear the team's leading scorer but also the leading rebounder.

"Daddy" practically rewrote the record book as he wound

Houston players clear a path as Charlie Sermons (below) barrels through to score on a back-handed lay-up. The Cougars won the game 70-66, to hand the Breds their first loss of the season.



Rex Alexander (above), ex-Thoroughbred cage star, is now assistant to Hodges and coach of the Murray State junior varsity squad.

the next night as the Hosses thrashed highly rated St. Joseph's college of Philadelphia in the City of Brotherly Love. Then the Breds hopped over to Detroit for the final game of the tour, and dropped a two point decision to Lawrence Tech.

After a brief stop at Murray, the Racers went on the road again, edging Kentucky Wesleyan before falling to Western's Hilltoppers, 62-57, at Bowling Green. Coach Hodges' changed the Breds style of ball for the Western game, using a zone defense and a slow type of offense. It worked so well against the Toppers that he stuck to it the rest of the season.

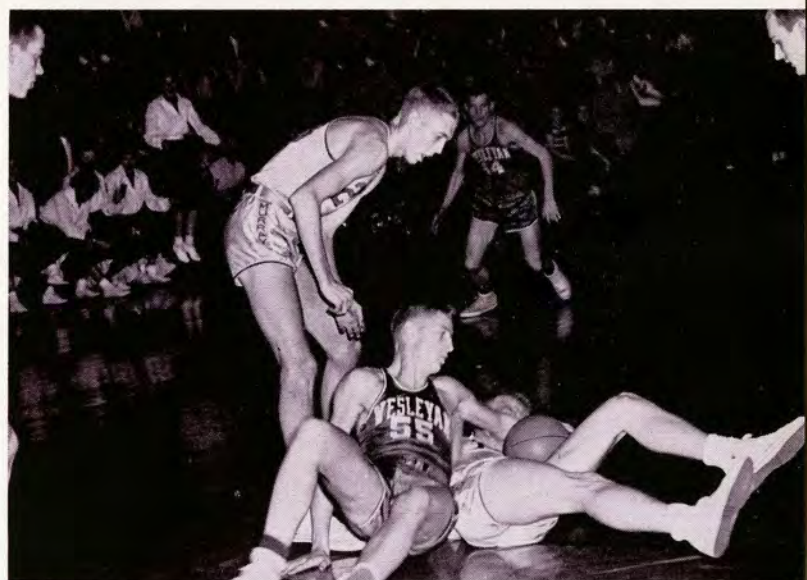
Back home again, the Big Blue was pressed all the way before taking a five point win over Middle Tennessee. But the Racers atoned for their poor showing against the Blue Raiders by blasting Morehead off the floor a couple of nights later.

Then the Blue and Gold embarked on their longest road trip of the season, a 4,000 mile jaunt that carried them through eastern Kentucky and down through Florida. After dropping the opening game to Eastern by nine points, the Racers swept the remaining games, knocking off Morehead and Rollins by big margins and outlasting the University of Miami.

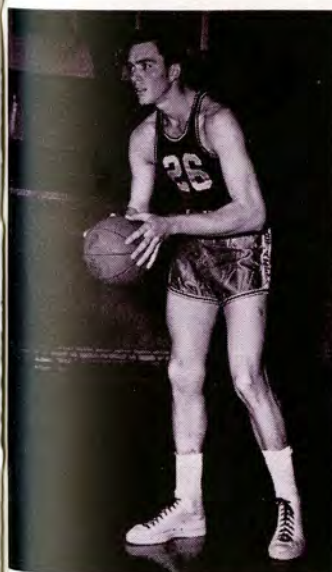
In their next game at home, the Thoroughbreds showed the effects of the tiring road trip but still managed to bump the University of Tampa by a seventeen point margin. Big Rich Starkey took over the spotlight in the next encounter as the Murrays beat Kentucky Wesleyan for the second time during the season.

Returning to OVC action, the Racers traveled to Cookeville, Tenn., where they had a tough time before taking the measure of Tennessee Tech.

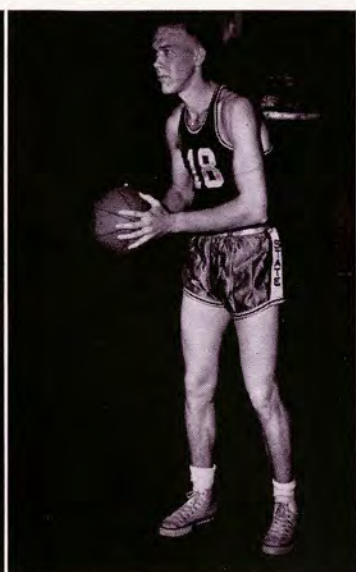
Then came the big game of the year—the battle with their arch rivals, Western, which was ranked as the ninth team in the nation. To the utter confusion of the Hilltoppers and the delight of the Murray partisans, Coach Hodges' charges completely dominated play from the opening horn and walked off with a 77-67 win. Actually, it was the zone defense Murray employed that threw the Hilltoppers off stride. Hodges designed the "original" zone for the Hilltoppers in the first meeting and it almost paid off then. In the second meeting there was little doubt that the zone would bring the victory to the Breds.



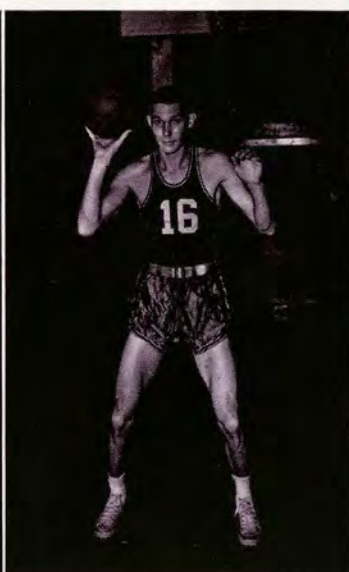
TPI players watch as Beshear connects on a one-hand jump shot (top). Leo Unnerstall (above) fights with a Kentucky Wesleyan player for possession of the ball as Rich Gott, a Bred guard looks on.



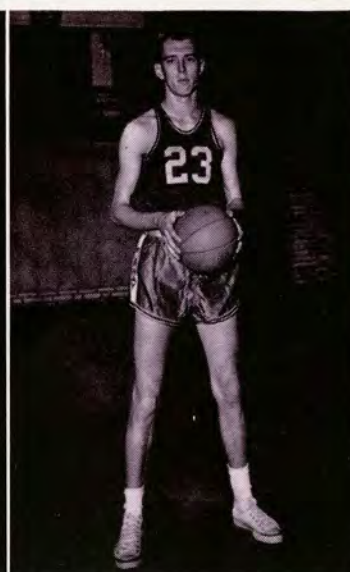
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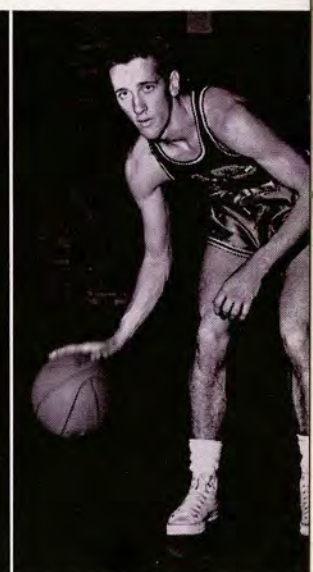
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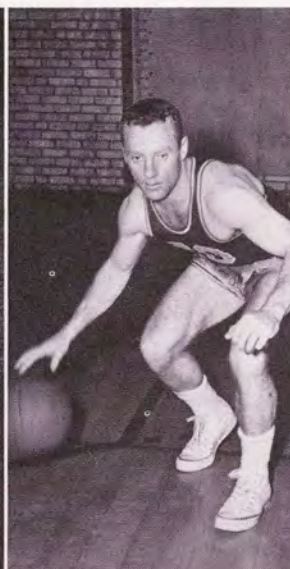
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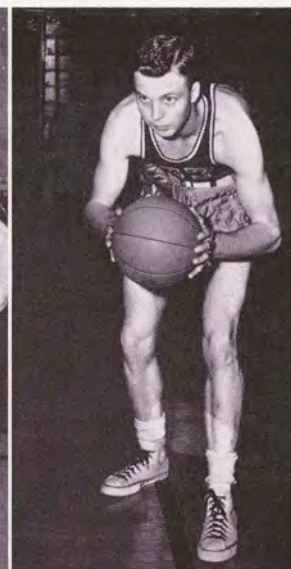
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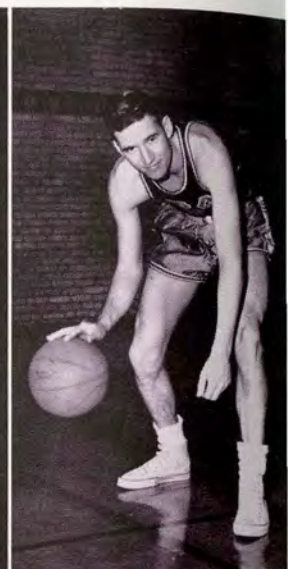
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Coach Ed Diddle, the colorful Western mentor, who had been suffering from a heart ailment since October, flew here for the game hoping to see his boys win. Instead, he saw his team humbled and was forced to surrender "the towel" to Murray cheerleaders.

The final week of the regular season saw the Racehorses leave on a disastrous two day trip through the Midwest. The Racers stopped first at Oklahoma City and got a taste of the midwest "freezing" style of basketball. The University of Oklahoma froze the ball through most of the last half as they gained a 43-37 win over the Breds.

The next night at Wichita, the Racers ran into some real trouble. Besides losing the contest to the University of Wichita, the Thoroughbreds lost two first line players because of injuries and had two more banged up considerably. Howie Crittenden and "Doodles" Floyd were lost for the rest of this season because of broken bones, and Rich Gott and Rich Starkey received knee injuries that hampered them the remainder of the season.

At home for the last game of the regular season, the battered and crippled Thoroughbreds were no match for Eastern's Maroons and the visitors walked off with a 96-68 win, one of the most lopsided losses ever suffered by a Murray cage team. The injury jinx was still with the Breds in the contest as another starter, Leo Unnerstall, was lost to the team because of a torn ligament in his leg.

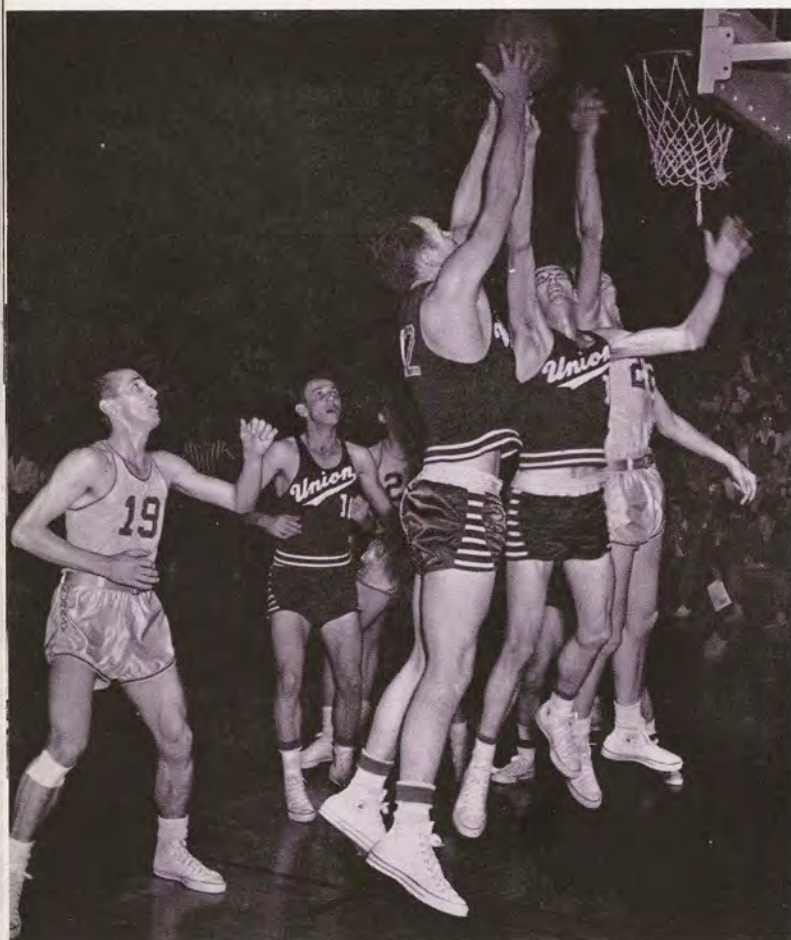
The loss to the Maroons dropped Murray to third place in the OVC standings and gave Eastern undisputed possession of the regular season title. Had the Breds been able to whip the Maroons, then the OVC race would have ended in a three way tie for first place among Eastern, Western, and Murray.

The Big Blue netters were pitted against Middle Tennessee in the first game of the OVC tournament, and with two subs in the starting lineup, managed a 79-70 win over the Blue Raiders.

That set the stage for the third meeting of the season with Eastern as the two clubs clashed in the semi-finals. Howie Crittenden, playing with a cast on his broken hand, made a brief appearance in the lineup at the start of the game and this seemed to inspire the Racehorses to new heights of greatness.

Each team chose to play a slow, deliberate game as they battled for a berth in the championship contest. After holding the Maroons throughout the first half, the Racers faltered in the last two periods and dropped a 52-43 decision.

Eastern managed to check Beshear's scoring by using two,



Koenigsmark fights for the rebound (above) but it is taken by Union. Crittenden waits for a chance to steal the ball.

and sometimes three, players to guard him. But Rich Gott kept the Breds in the contest, connecting on long set shots from out on the floor. Gott's sensational play in the semi-final game earned him a position on the All-OVC team. Beshear was also named to the all-star squad for the third consecutive year.

Garrett Beshear led the team in scoring with 643 points but high scoring was the exception rather than the rule with Thoroughbreds. Howie Crittenden hit for 347 and Leo Unnerstall bagged a total of 248. Rich Gott, with the best foul shot percentage, made a total of 161 markers. Rich Starkey scored 141 points to round out the group who topped the century mark in scoring for the season.

And as for next year? The Racers will lose Beshear, Gott, and Barney Thweatt, but with outstanding players coming up to take their places, who knows? Maybe Hodges prediction that Murray will be the "best in the Midwest by 1954" will come true next season.



Spaelstra is guilty of a foul, as Beshear tries to get a shot away against Western (above).

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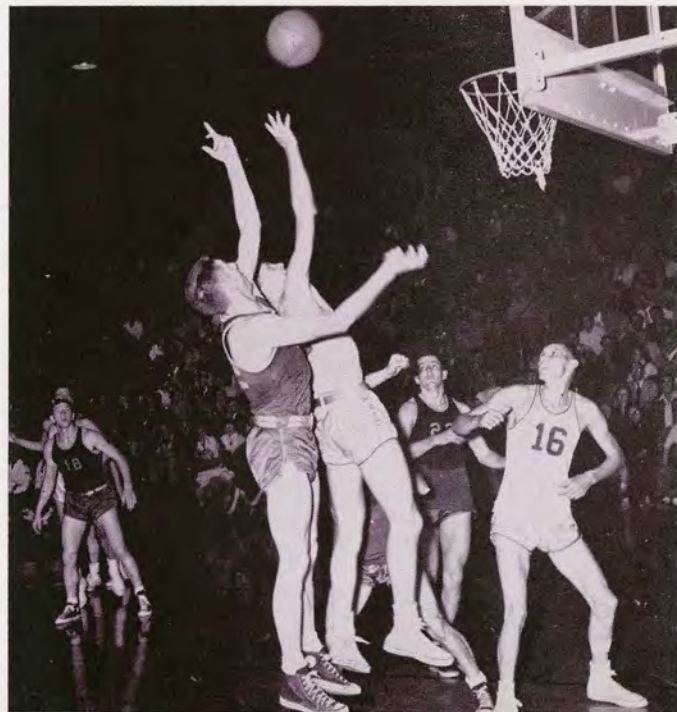
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Beshear fakes Spaelstra then scores on a jump shot (right). Akridge drove for the basket and was fouled as he tried to shoot (below).





Ray Lafser (above) slams a home run to aid the 'Bred's cause as they club Tennessee Tech 6 to 4 for their first conference win of the season. Kayo Willis the Racer's ace hurler, was credited with the win.

Carlisle Cutchin (below), Murray State baseball coach, will have all but two of last year's regulars back again this season.



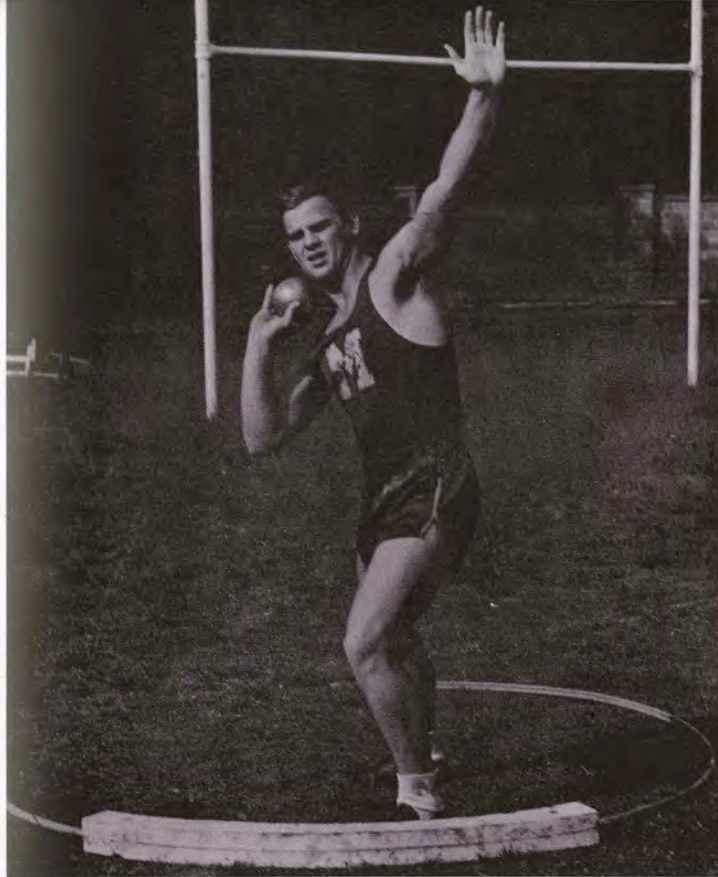
B A S E B A L L

1953 Promises To Be Bright Season In MSC Record Book

Coach Carlisle Cutchin's 1952 baseball team wasn't as bad as their record of five wins and ten losses might indicate. A few clutch hits in the close games could easily have turned the tide in the 'Breds favor and given them a winning season.

Bright spots in the rather dismal season included the hurling of Kayo Willis, who took credit for two of the Murray wins, one a brilliant one-hit shutout over Bethel; the hitting of Ray Lafser and Jim McDermott, regulars who finished with a batting average near the .400 mark; and the tilt with David Lipscomb when the 'Breds put on an eleven run rally in the late innings to pull the game out of the fire.

Prospects for the 1953 season are the brightest in many years as all but two of last year's regulars, Wofford and Mikez, will be back again. Included in the list of returning lettermen is the "big three" of the mound corps, Willis, Byars, and Kelly. If the pitchers receive a little better hitting and fielding support it promises to be a bright page in the record book for 1953 and give Murray baseball that outstanding season that has been missing for so long.



Ben Chamness (above) is shown putting the shot.

T R A C K

Murray State Track Team Places Second In OVC Meet In 1952

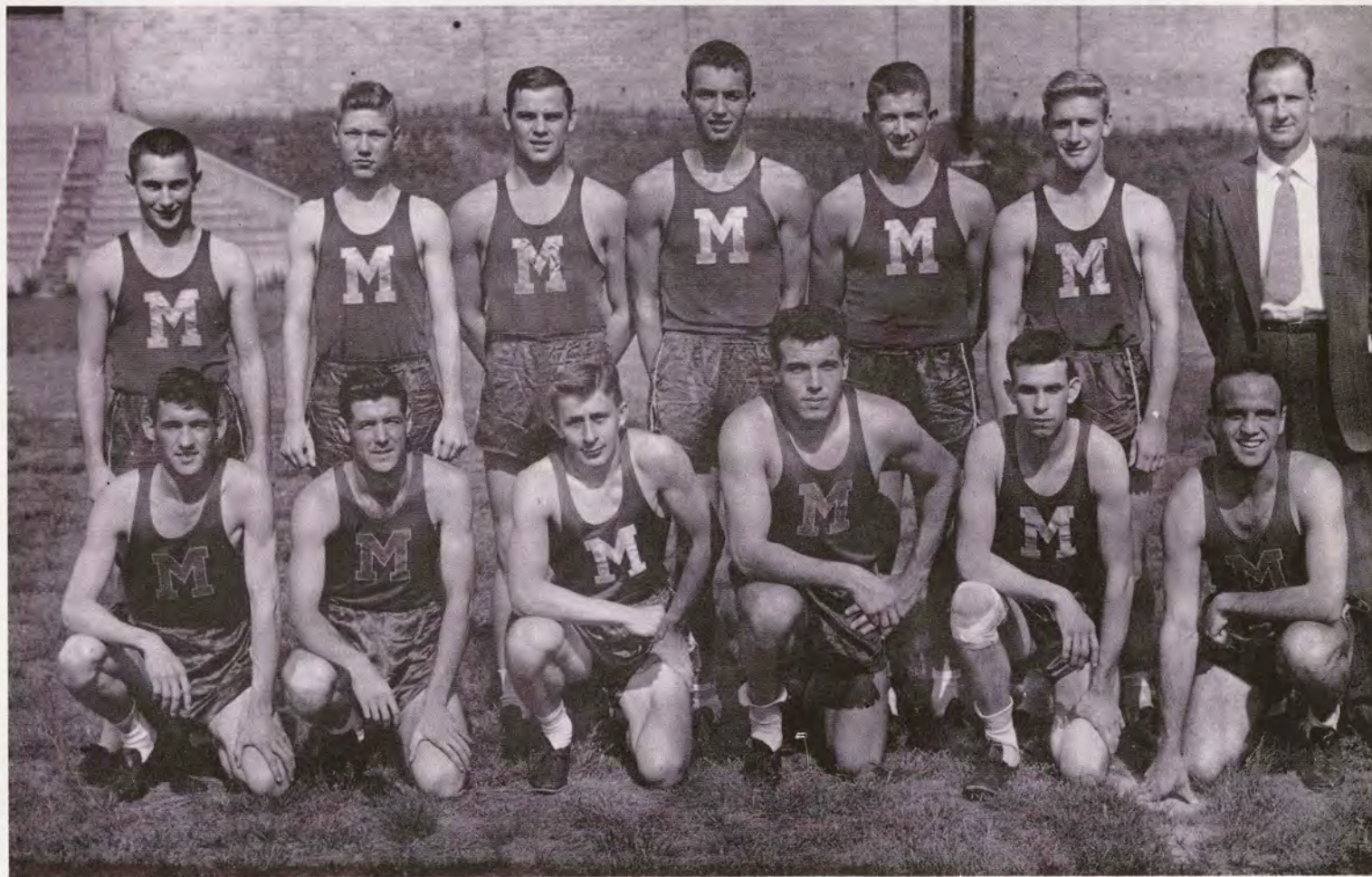
Murray State's track team lived up to their name of Thoroughbreds, as they took second place in the OVC meet and two of the thinlies set new conference records. But Coach Fred Faurot's cindermen weren't as successful earlier in the year, winning only two of six duel contests. The 'Breds outpointed Union University and Western but lost twice to Southeastern Missouri and once each to Tennessee Tech and Western.

Sam Vineyard and Murrell King set new OVC records in the 220-yard dash and the 100-yard dash, respectively. Vineyard clipped a tenth of a second off the old mark of 22.3 seconds and King sprinted the century in ten seconds flat.

The mile relay team raced to victory seven times during the year to extend its winning streak through three consecutive seasons. Mittino and King had steady berths on the 1952 mile relay team, while the other two runners were chosen from among Vineyard, Cain, Witt, and Jordan.

Vineyard and Mittino were the outstanding members of the Racers squad throughout the season. Mittino consistently won in the 880-yard run and the discus throw while Vineyard piled up points in the short races.

The 'Bred track squad (below), coached by Fred Faurot, captured second place in the OVC track meet.







IN MEMORIAM

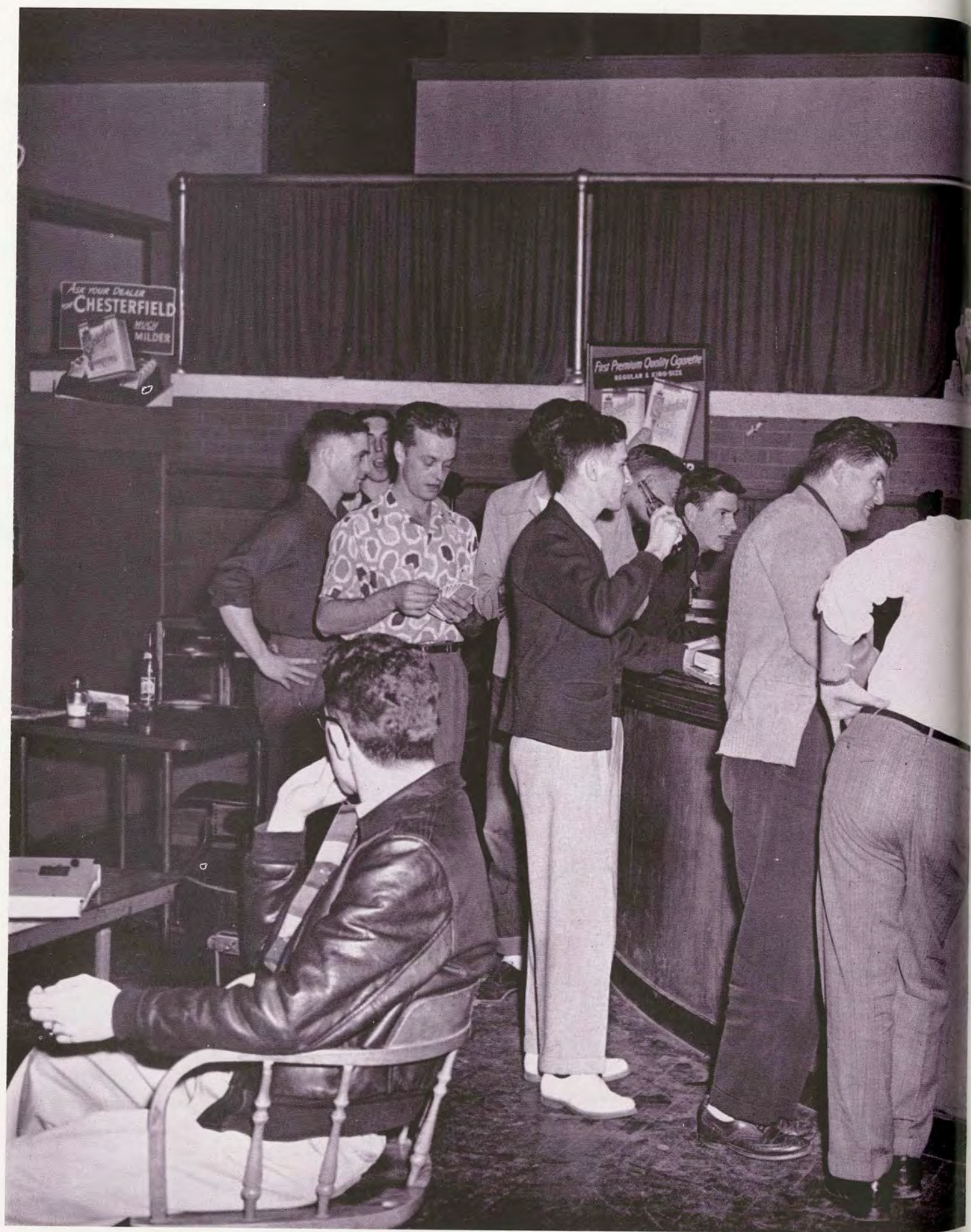
Miss Ruth Ashmore

The void created by the death of Miss Ruth Ashmore, MSC Counsellor of Women, is one that will never be quite filled.

In a larger sense, Miss Ashmore will never quite be gone from the campus as long as the spirit of Murray State survives. She, more than anyone else, created that spirit.

Miss Ashmore died suddenly while on duty January 18, 1953, at the age of 61. She came to MSC in 1938 as house director of Wells Hall.







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